

CO. G BOYS BACK FROM WAR; LAND TODAY

AUSTRIAN ARMY TO BE REDUCED TO 15,000 MEN

Treaty Will Be Given Delegates Wednesday Afternoon.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, May 24.—The council of four today continued its consideration of the economic clauses of the Austrian peace treaty, calling in experts for consultation.

It is still expected that the treaty will be ready for presentation to the Austrians on Wednesday next.

PRESENT TREATY WEDNESDAY
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Friday, May 23.—(Delayed)—It was announced tonight that the treaty to be presented to Austria would be considered at a plenary session next Tuesday and would be laid before the Austrian delegation probably Wednesday.

The council of four today considered the military terms as framed by Marshal Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied armies; General Diaz, supreme commander of the Italian army, and other military leaders. Austria's formidable army of upward of a million men which was second only to that of Germany is reduced by the treaty to 15,000 men; virtually all military supplies would be surrendered or destroyed and further military production abolished.

The naval terms are similarly sweeping, all warships being surrendered and Austria's position as a naval power terminated.

MUCH BUSINESS REMAINS
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Friday, May 23.—(Delayed)—The American delegation has prepared a memorandum showing the status of affairs before the peace conference on the conclusion of the Austrian treaty.

This discloses that a formidable amount of business is still to be transacted, besides the Turkish and Bulgarian treaties, covering the whole range of inter-allied subjects. The memorandum runs through many pages, with scores of headings. It leaves no doubt that the conference will continue for a considerable time after the treaties have been signed and President Wilson has left, it being expected that the other American members will remain to consider matters still requiring attention.

60 PERCENT OF ARMY RETURNED TO PRIVATE LIFE

Nearly 2 1/4 Million of U. S. Forces Given Discharges.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Demobilization of the army has now returned more than 60 per cent of officers and men to civil life. It was announced officially today that 2,215,161 of whom 112,556 were officers, sailings from overseas since November 11 last, have totalled 1,152,427.

The return movement in the week of May 20 established a new high record for transporting troops either on the eastward or western movement. During that week 133,893 officers and men were embarked for home.

General Pershing has informed the war department demobilization has progressed to a point where he will discontinue releasing individual officers and men whose discharge has been requested for unusual reasons. If released individually they would arrive in the United States after they have been promoted to the next grade.

Tariff Hearings to Be Started at Once
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee announced in the house today that committee hearings will be held soon "with the view of a complete revision of the tariff." Preceding these hearings, he said, the committee beginning next week would consider the repeal of the various consumption taxes.

Mr. Fordney introduced a resolution to repeal the so-called semi-luxury taxes which impose a levy on costly wearing apparel and many other articles. Republican members of the committee he said, had unanimously approved the measure.

U. C. T. TEAM PLAYS BROWN TEAM MAY 30

Base ball games on Memorial day, May 30 and May 31 have been arranged between the Dixon United Commercial Travelers team and the Brown Shoe Co. team. The games will be played at the shoe company diamond.

NO BOOZE; NO JAIL

Gordonville, Mo., Expects No Further Use for Bastille, So it Is Sold for Warehouse.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Gordonville, Mo., May 24.—Because of the approach of national prohibition the Gordonville town board considered the calaboose unnecessary and today it was sold to Henry W. Macke for \$90. Mr. Macke said he would use the "bastille" for a storage room.

BOLSHEVIKI PREPARE TO LEAVE PETROGRAD TO UNITED RUSSIANS

Great Explosions Heard from Distance—Army of Esthonia Near.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Eng., May 24.—Great fires and loud explosions have occurred in and around Petrograd, according to reports forwarded by the Daily Mail's correspondent at Helsingfors under date of Thursday. It is believed that the bolsheviks, pressed by the Esthonian advance are destroying the munitions in Petrograd.

Machine gun firing also has been heard in Petrograd and it is reported that the population has risen against the bolsheviks.

ANTI-BOLSHEVIKI ADVANCE.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Eng., Friday, May 23.—(British Wireless Service).—A great change has come over the situation in Russia through the successes of the various anti-bolshevik forces there. Official and unofficial news of the last few days show that Petrograd is closely threatened by the advances of the Finns and the Esthonians on either side of the gulf of Finland and by that of General Maynard in the region of Lake Onega, while bolshevik attacks on the Archangel front have ceased. In addition the bolsheviks apparently have been unable to check the advance of Admiral Kolchak's forces west of the Ural.

The Daily Telegraph says that the British and allied policy of helping the Russian opponents of the bolsheviks to help themselves still remain in force. It says that the situation today is that the movement led by Kolchak is in a fair way to stamp out bolshevism.

GAS RATE FIGHT UNSETTLED; GOES TO COMMISSION

Would-Be Peace Conference in Chicago Was Failure.

The would-be peace conference held in Chicago this week between representatives of the Illinois Northern Utilities company and Freeport, Sterling and Dixon ended with the cities determined to fight the proposed electric rate increase out to a finish before the Public Utilities commission. An attempt to settle the matter in dispute was seriously made by both sides, but it was found impossible to agree upon any rate.

The matter will be continued some time in the future before the commission, which will set the rate. The proposed settlement as advanced by the company was to set a certain rate for one year, and if it was found satisfactory to make it permanent. This rate was deemed exorbitant by the majority of the cities represented, and the matter will now go to the commission.

DIXON BOY MANAGER KNOX BASE BALL TEAM

Phillip Raymond of this city has been elected manager of the Knox college base ball team for next season, according to word received from Galesburg by the Telegraph this morning. The young man served as assistant manager this year and at the recent election was chosen to take charge of the team next season.

THE WEATHER

SATURDAY, MAY 24
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, possibly showers in extreme south portion; not much change in temperature.

WEATHER FOR WEEK
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday, issued by the weather bureau today are:
Region of Great Lakes:—Approximately normal temperature and considerable cloudiness and occasional showers.

GERMAN ENVOYS BACK FROM SPA WEARING SMILES

Return to Versailles After Conference with Cabinet.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, May 24.—President Wilson has informed the council of four, it was reported in peace conference circles today, that the other members of the council should be prepared for the United States not to take a mandate for Constantinople or any other part of Turkey.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Versailles, May 24.—Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau and the other members of the German peace delegation, who went to Spa on Thursday, returned here this morning with the exception of Dr. Theodor Meisner, the financial expert. All the members of the party were smiling and seemed in good spirits.

Confers at Spa
Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace mission, and his colleagues conferred yesterday at Spa with Philip Scheidemann, Matthias Erzberger, Bernhard Dernburg and Count Von Bernstorff. In the evening Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau left for Versailles and the members of the German government started for Berlin.

Approval Given Notes
Newspapers here unanimously approve of the "fairness, justice and precision" of the reply of the peace conference to the notes of Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau. In the reply relative to economic questions they see the "resolute determination of the entente to obtain all desirable reparations."

LAST OF TROOPS TO LEAVE BREST ABOUT JUNE 12

Only Regulars Will Be Abroad After That Date, Says March

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Revised plans for the return of the overseas forces provide for the sailing from France of all troops except those in the regular divisions by June 12, General March, chief of staff announced today.

Units now in the service of supply are scheduled to sail 100,000 in May; 200,000 in June and the small remainder in July. A definite schedule has been arranged for closing all the supply sections and leave areas now under control of the A. E. F. headquarters.

General headquarters at Chaumont will be closed early in June after which time the Coblenz sector will be supplied direct from Antwerp.

Sergt. Alvin C. York Acclaimed America's Greatest War Hero

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, D. C., May 24.—Sergt. Alvin C. York, Tennessee's mountain-war hero, pronounced by Marshal Foch and publicly acclaimed as "the greatest of all," had a memorable day in the national capital. Fresh from his reception yesterday in New York and escorted by Congressman Hull of his native state and a delegation of admiring townsmen from Pall Mall, York visited the war department where he met Secretary Baker, the white house where he met Secretary Tumulty and later the capitol.

"America owes you a great debt of gratitude," said Secretary Tumulty to Sergeant York, who modestly declined to recount his exploits and sat off in a corner of Mr. Tumulty's office while Representative Hull did the talking.

York said on leaving the white house that he would return to Camp Merritt tomorrow to receive his discharge.

"Then I'll go home and see mother," said he.

"You are a brave man. I congratulate you," Secretary Baker told him.

Cedar Rapids Death List May Reach 48

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 25.—At nine o'clock this morning the number of dead as a result of the explosion and fire at the Douglas starch works here Thursday evening had reached 13 and the official list of missing stood at 35. The death list may reach 48. The work of moving the debris is being pushed as rapidly as possible and it is expected that additional bodies will be found. There are four unidentified dead at morgues.

MOTHER'S CONDITION BRINGS BOY RELEASE

Roy Delp is home from France after receiving a special discharge there on account of the critical illness of his mother, Mrs. Edward Miller, of South Dixon. The other son, Ernest Delp, is also here from Minnesota.

HEROES MET BY BYERS, DIXON, PRESTON. GOV. LOWDEN AND OTHER ILLINOISANS; MANY OF BOYS RECOGNIZED WHILE ABOARD BIG LINER

Welcoming Party in Tug "Princess," Met the Transport "America," Which Arrived a Day Ahead of Schedule Dixonians Sing as Vessel Glides Up to Its Dock—Whole of Battery C Returned on This Ship—Lee County Red Cross Sends \$350 for Boys.

BULLETIN.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
New York, May 24.—More than 5,200 officers and men of the 33rd division (former national guard of Illinois) arrived from Brest on the steamship America. Units were 58th field artillery brigade headquarters, 7 officers and 62 men; 122nd, 123rd and 124th field artillery regiments complete, 167 officers and 4,446 men and part of the 108th sanitary train, 21 officers and 535 men, assigned mostly to Camps Grant, Dodge, Sherman, Upton, Taylor, Jackson and Custer.

MET BY GOVERNOR AND DIXON MEN.

(By John H. Byers, Staff Correspondence.)
New York, May 24.—Cheering and singing the Dixon boys aboard the U. S. transport America reached here this afternoon, a day ahead of their schedule. The transport was met ten miles out by Gov. Frank O. Lowden and party, including State Treasurer Fred Sterling, Secretary of State Louis Emmerson, Adjutant General Frank S. Dickson and Lee county's representatives, Attorney Henry S. Dixon and Capt. C. G. Preston, former commander of Battery C of the 123rd Field Artillery. Congressman McKenzie was represented by your correspondent.

Many of the Dixon boys were recognized as the big liner pulled up to the dock with her 6,000 soldiers aboard. With the Lowden party were 250 Illinoisans and a band. The Princess, carrying the Illinois reception committee, including the above, left its pier at noon to meet the America.

AN EARLIER REPORT.
Advices given by army authorities at New York late yesterday afternoon were to the effect that the transport, America, bearing the 123rd Field Artillery, the unit of which old Company C is a part, would arrive at that port this afternoon instead of tomorrow, as originally announced. The steamer was not expected to make the crossing before tomorrow, but radio advices indicate that she is ahead of her schedule and was expected to reach port at about 2 o'clock this afternoon with the last of the Prairie Division men—the sons of Illinois with gold cross of the crusader upon their helmets and their sleeves.

When the America docks, no matter what time of day or night it may be, two Dixon men will be on hand to greet the Dixon and Lee county men, for Attorney Henry S. Dixon and Capt. C. G. Preston have remained in New York awaiting the arrival of the organization in which this community has the greatest interest—Battery C, 123rd Field Artillery, for the old Dixon national guard company is a part of that battery.

These two men, representing the citizens of Dixon, will see that insofar as it is in their power the returning heroes will be well taken care of and will want for nothing; and they will assure the artillerymen that a great welcome is awaiting them when they arrive home.

To Camp Mills.
After they have passed quarantine and have gone through all the other safeguards which the government has provided, it is probable the men will be given short leaves of absence, after which they will be sent to Camp Mills for a short time. The length of their stay in the eastern camp cannot be determined, but it is not believed they will be kept there over a week, as the America is reported to have taken the last of the 33rd Division from Brest.

Senator Hitchcock Speaks for League

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, D. C., May 24.—Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, ranking democrat of the foreign relations committee, one of the chief supporters of President Wilson's fight for ratification of the peace treaty, has accepted an invitation to accompany former President Taft on a three day speaking trip next week in the middle west. They will make addresses at Springfield, Ill., on Thursday; at Kansas City, Mo., on Friday; and at Omaha, Neb., on Saturday in each case at a state convention of peace league societies.

Mr. Taft is understood to have expressed an earnest desire to confer on plans for the ratification fight.

1919 Wheat Crop in Kansas to Be Greatest Known

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Topeka, Kan., May 24.—In the May report on crop conditions as of May 17 in Kansas, published today, the state board of agriculture says in part: "This year's Kansas winter wheat crop will amount to 218,590,000 bushels or 20.1 bushels to the acre, according to the judgment of the board's correspondents based on the present prospect. Should this yield be realized it will be nearly 39,000,000 bushels more than the state's next largest crop in 1914, the record production of any state in the history of America."

58TH ANNIVERSARY OF OLD THIRTEENTH WAS FITTINGLY OBSERVED

Twenty Veterans Attended Annual Reunion Here Yesterday.

Twenty veterans of the old Thirteenth Illinois Volunteer Infantry, several of them from a distance, met at the Natchez Tavern in this city yesterday to attend the annual reunion celebrating the 58th anniversary of the mustering of that famous regiment of Civil War fighters into the service of the union on May 24, 1861. It was a grand event for the "boys," several of whom had been unable to attend similar yearly affairs for some time, and the afternoon and evening were most happily spent in "swapping" reminiscences of the days when they were comrades under most trying conditions.

When the business session of the association was called to order at two o'clock by President C. H. Noble of this city, the following had registered:

- Company A.
C. H. Noble, Dixon.
William G. McGinnis, Dixon.
Henry D. Dement, Wilmette, Ill.
O. A. Webb, Spring Hill, Ala.
Charles W. Reynolds, Sterling, Okla.
- Company B.
A. W. Adams, Almond, Wis.
Andrew Haberer, Sterling, Ill.
Gordon M. Pierce, Sterling, Ill.
John Aument, Sterling, Ill.
- Company C.
W. E. Morse, E. Peoria, Ill.
Joseph Christchance.
H. S. Wyman, Freeport.
J. E. Gray, Dixon, Ill.
- Company D.
W. H. Woodring, Clinton, Ia.
- Company E.
J. W. Loeck, Lincoln, Neb.
R. N. Hevener, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- Company H.
J. E. Lowrey, Danville, Ill.
P. C. Coster, Fulton, Ill.
- Company K.
C. D. Tilden, Warrenville, Ill.
Charles E. Bolles, Oak Park.
Chapman F. D. Altman of this city, an honorary position to which he was elected a number of years ago, offered prayer, after which the minutes of the (Continued on Page Two.)

BANKERS WILL BE ENTERTAINED IN DIXON TUESDAY

Plans Are Complete for Annual Meeting of Group Three.

Approximately 200 bankers from eight northern Illinois counties are expected to attend the annual convention of group three of the Illinois Bankers' association to be held in this city on Tuesday, June 3. All of the sessions will be held in the parlors of the Elks' club. The first session will be called to order at 10 o'clock at which time Col. W. B. Brinton will deliver the address of welcome. He will be followed by George M. Reynolds of Chicago, president of the Continental & Commercial bank of that city, one of the largest banking institutions in the country, who will address the delegates.

At 1 o'clock a lunch will be tendered the visitors by the bankers of Lee county and this will also be served in the dining room at the Elks club. Following the dinner President Charles H. Reynolds of the Illinois Bankers' association of Washington, Ill., will speak. Wayne Hammer of LaSalle will address the bankers on the subject, "County Organization." This will be followed by a round table discussion on subjects interesting to bankers. After the adjournment of the business session the visitors will enjoy the courtesy of the Dixon Country club.

Group three of the state association is made up of bankers from the following counties: Jo Daviess, Stephenson, Winnebago, Boone, Carroll, Ogle, DeKalb and Lee counties.

FIRE DESTROYS LINER VIRGINIA; 15 PERSONS DIE

Passenger Ship Burns at Sea—Carried 156 Passengers.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Norfolk, Va., May 24.—Grave fears are entertained by officials of the Old Bay line steamship company for the safety of a number of passengers on the water's edge off Smith's Point in Chesapeake Bay shortly before 1 o'clock this morning. Over a hundred survivors were brought to Norfolk this morning on the steamer City of Norfolk and the remainder were taken to Baltimore and Washington. Three negro firemen are known to have perished.

The survivors half clothed and showing every indication of a terror-filled night, could hardly give a coherent account of the disaster. The majority of them were asleep when the fire was discovered.

15 PERSONS PERISH.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Baltimore, Md., May 24.—The Old Bay liner Virginia bound to Norfolk from Baltimore with 156 passengers and a full cargo of miscellaneous freight aboard was burned to the waters edge near the mouth of the Potomac river last night. Lieut. Commander George V. Daws, U. S. N., who was a passenger on board the steamer Florida, one of the rescuing ships, stated here today that he believed 10 or 15 persons perished.

This afternoon the office of the steamship company gave out a list of survivors that totaled up to the number who are said to have sailed last night on the Virginia. It is feared, however, that a number of the crew were lost. Only 15 of the 62 were announced as having landed.

HAD 160 PASSENGERS
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Baltimore, Md., May 24.—No definite information regarding the burning of the Old Bay line steamer Virginia in lower Chesapeake Bay last night was obtainable at the executive office of the line here up to 10 o'clock this morning. Officials of the company said that if there was any loss of life it was "very slight" as the rescuing steamers took aboard large numbers of the passengers.

The Virginia sailed from Baltimore for Norfolk last evening with between 150 and 160 passengers and a full load of miscellaneous freight aboard. The steamer was valued at about \$700,000.

Survivors are Landed
The steamer City of Annapolis also of the Chesapeake line, arrived here this morning with four passengers of the Virginia, among them being Hugh H. Schmacher, St. Louis, and John M. Warden of Harrisburg, Pa.

Captain Dougherty of the City of Annapolis, said that his ship was about 25 miles away when the burning Virginia was noticed. He proceeded to the spot at full speed, as did also the masters of the ships Florida, City of Baltimore, Southland (running from Washington to Norfolk) and City of Norfolk. When he arrived close to the Virginia, he found that the fire was blazing so fiercely that he could not approach her. He managed to pick up the four survivors, who were in a life boat.

The steamer City of Baltimore, with about 100 passengers of the Virginia, and the Florida with passengers and members of the crew of the Virginia on board followed the City of Annapolis into port. Captain W. G. Lane of the Virginia was aboard the Florida. He was said to be injured but to what extent was not known.

American Railroad Troops Help Allies Advance in Russia

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Archangel, Friday, May 23.—(Delayed)—American railroad troops are playing an important part in the rapid advance of the allied troops southward along the Murmansk railway. The bolsheviks, as they go south are destroying bridges in an effort to hold up the allies in the terrain. The Americans however are working hard putting the track into shape again.

American motor launches have been brought on flat cars from Murmansk and it is expected, will soon be operating with other craft on Lake Onego which is connected by rivers and canals with Lake Ladoga, the largest in Europe; the Neva river and Petrograd.

LOCAL NEWSPAPER IS NO LONGER CONFINED TO HOME HAPPENINGS

Big Volume Published in Telegraph But Space Must Be Divided.

ALL NEWS IMPORTANT

Since the consolidation, the volume of local news in the Evening Telegraph has increased greatly, owing to the efficient working of an augmented news force. Likewise the advertising has been of greater volume. Thus it has become impossible to segregate local news, or place it all on one page or on page one. Of necessity it is scattered throughout the paper, making each page interesting to the reader.

Time was when local happenings in Dixon were of greater importance to readers of the Telegraph than news of the outside world, but since America has assumed such an important place in the world affairs, policy must, of necessity, be changed. It is now necessary to publish news from the whole world in order to supply the demands of the reading public.

The old style local newspaper is gone—gone forever—because its field has expanded to such a great extent. The day of the purely local newspaper has passed.

There may have been a time when it had a place in its community, but that time has gone, never to return," says the Publishers' Auxiliary. "Whatever its size and whatever the size of the community in which it is published, the newspaper of today in America must concern itself with something more than chronicling local happenings and discussing matters of purely local interest."

Newspaper readers of today in America have a wider interest than they had a few years ago. They want to know what is going on in the world outside of their own narrow confines. "America is in Paris today. America is in Germany. America is in England and Italy and Belgium and in every other part of the world that amounts to anything."

"Our world has grown wonderfully. America has grown. We made a tremendous jump during the last couple of years. And just now there is hardly a man or woman possessed of intelligence and a respectable fund of general information whose mind isn't spending a good deal of time right along in Paris, Berlin, London, etc."

"It is this broadening range of thought and interest that the newspaper must reflect. If they are to keep abreast of their times and serve their proper purpose as interpreters and leaders. We should have the local content by all means, but along with it we must have the large content needed by men and women who find themselves, all at once, citizens of a big world, with the obligation of doing their part in understanding and solving its problems as they do those of their home town. We can never return again to the purely local outlook."

Billion Needed for Railroad Operations

Washington, May 24.—Much more than a billion dollars will be needed by the railroad administration to finance the railways up to the end of the year, when government control will cease. Director General Hines was undecided today whether to ask congress at this time for the entire amount needed or to postpone the final request until later in the session.

Would Be a Nuisance. Chairs so mounted that they can be raised and lowered two feet or more by the occupants, for use in motion picture and other theaters, are shown in Popular Mechanics Magazine. The advantage of these seats is that they lift the users high enough to give them a view of the stage unobstructed by persons passing to and fro in front of them—a frequent occurrence at the "movies."

Puzz for Marines. Friends of citizen "sea soldiers" are telling that a marine not regularly a marine, though coached in the signals and likely to be called upon to "pinch hit" for a regular marine, must necessarily be a submarine. The "rookies" themselves say that Noah Webster overlooked this knotty problem, when he wrote his best seller, and they are calling on sports editors to decide the question.

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Arthur McKenzie Sterling, Ill.

Few Employees Will Return to Overland Plants Next Monday

By Associated Press Leased Wire Toledo, O., May 24.—Union leaders today declared they were confident that only a straggling few of their 7,000 or 8,000 workers in the Willits-Overland and Electric Auto-Lite plants who were locked out May 8th when they refused to work 48 hours instead of 45 hours a week, would return to work Monday, when the factories have announced they will re-open.

All told, approximately 10,000 workers were locked out and the factories closed. The men are demanding a 44-hour week and wage increase of from 10 to 25 an hour.

Company officials claim letters received from workers indicated a large force would return and accept the 48-hour week and the existing wage scale.

Union heads conceded that several thousand men not members of auto trades unions would return to work but said not enough workers in basic trades would be on hand to permit the manufacture of automobiles.

Misunderstanding is Cause of Departure of Japanese Envoy

By Associated Press Leased Wire Tokyo, May 24.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—It is understood that the forthcoming return of Viscount Ishii, the Japanese ambassador to Washington is connected with a misunderstanding concerning the appointment of a financial adviser to China. The Japanese government appointed Baron Sakatani, financial adviser to the Peking government. Before taking this step, however, the Washington government was "sounded" on the question. Viscount Ishii, it appears, reported to Tokyo that Washington had no objection to the appointment. Later, Dr. Reisch, the American minister to China entered a protest to the naming of Baron Sakatani.

This led to inquiries at Washington and it transpired that a misunderstanding had occurred and that the American government had not approved the appointment.

Viscount Ishii who had the contrary impression, was much embarrassed and requested a leave of absence. The entire question may be explained as due to language difficulty.

Viscount Ishii is regarded here as a very able diplomat and efforts will be made to induce him to remain in the service as Japan's representative at Washington.

Hines Awards Rail Contract; Protests

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, May 24.—Although doing so "under protest" and with emphatic disapproval of the prices and the manner in which they have been established, Director General of Railroads Hines announced last night he had awarded to six manufacturers contracts for supplying 200,000 tons of open hearth steel rails at a uniform price of \$47 per ton. The companies to which the orders go are the Carnegie Steel company, the Illinois Steel company and the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, all subsidiaries of the United States Steel corporation; the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, the Bethlehem Steel company and the Lackawanna Steel company.

Government Opens Big Health Drive

By Associated Press Leased Wire New York, May 24.—A four weeks hygienic campaign being conducted among the 5,000 employees of the factories and among civilian army and navy workers at Bush terminal Brooklyn by the Y. M. C. A. in co-operation with the United States public health service and the Brooklyn health authorities was declared today to be the start of a government health drive which will be nationwide, designed to reach all employees of big plants.

First Time Reckoning. Perhaps the first reference to attempts to reckon time by mechanical means is found in Isaiah xxxviii, 8, written supposedly about 713 B. C., "the sun dial of Ahaz." Pliny says that Anaximander invented a sun dial about 550 B. C. The first sun dial at Rome was placed in the temple of Quirinus, about 298 B. C., when time was divided into hours. The clepsydra, or water clock, was the next time recorder invented.

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meeting of a year ago, read by Sec. R. M. Hevener of Pittsburg, Pa., were read and approved.

Letters Received. The list of letters received by the secretary during the year was presented, as follows, the company of the regiment to which the writer belonged being indicated first:

L—Benj. Zoile, Watertown, Wis. E—James R. Neer, Salem, Ore. A—H. D. Dement, Chicago, Ill. B—W. H. Irons, Huron, S. D. C—O. B. Wyman, Eagle, Grove, Ia. C—J. E. Gray, Dixon, Ill. A—Mrs. Milton Giles, Olympia, Wash. I—Mrs. Thomas Chatt, Fort Scott, Kas.

B—A. W. Adams, Almond, Wis. H—Mrs. Venice Cushing, Oakland, Cal.

H—A. Barnes, Eureka, Cal. G—W. H. H. Jones, Pasadena, Cal. D—W. H. Woodring, Clinton, Ia.

C—Tallman Seely, Early, Ia. F—William Allen, Early, Ia. F—C. H. Caswell, Nashville, Ia.

B—W. B. Garlick, Kansas City, Kas. C—L. D. Mathews, Los Angeles, Cal. B—L. E. Hawley, Dayton, O.

C—A. J. Shud, Denver, Col. I—D. C. Shaw, Hollywood, Cal. I—N. Woods, Detroit, Mich.

E—J. C. Kelly, Earlyville, Ill. K—C. D. Tilden, Warrenville, Ill. F—J. W. Losee, Lincoln, Neb.

B—R. Hefflinger, Los Angeles, Cal. K—C. E. Bolles, Oak Park, Ill. I—T. P. Kellogg, Interlaken, N. Y.

A—George D. Burton, Union Star, Mo. A—Harry Van Houten, Quincy, Ill.

H—E. B. Beard, Beaumont, Tex. Mrs. Henry Wyman, Freeport, Ill. Mrs. G. M. Pierce, Sterling, Ill.

Mrs. William Payne, Rock Island, Ill. Mrs. E. A. Brownell, Seattle, Wash. Mrs. J. G. Everest, Chicago.

G—George H. Drake, Monmouth, Ill. D—J. J. Shaffthirst, Muscatine, Ia. A—C. B. Ayres, Los Angeles, Cal.

G—L. M. Jackson, Cannon City, Col. B—H. C. Plant, Chicago, Ill. E—L. Bish, Marshalltown, Ia.

G—Charles Lewis, Westgate, Ia. A—C. W. Synder, New York City. C—Joseph T. Sackett, Licking, Mo.

I—Mrs. Annie Everest Weed, Chicago, Ill. H—A. E. Beardsley, Wilmington, N. Y.

Mrs. Annie M. Greenwalt, Los Angeles, Cal.

Deaths Reports. Seven deaths, reported to the Secretary during the year, were as follows: Captain R. A. Smith, Co. F, at Lake City, Ia., Feb. 25, 1919.

Milton Giles, Co. A, at Olympia, Wash. March 15, 1919.

Malcolm G. Clark, Co. H, at Luray, Kas.

Thomas J. Chatt, Co. I, Feb. 3, 1919, at Fort Scott, Kas.

L. S. Shafer, Co. D, at Rapids City, Ill.

E. A. Brownell, Co. H, at Seattle, Wash., February, 1919.

James Cligget, Co. H, at Chamberlain, S. D., June, 1918.

Letters Returned. Letters returned to the Secretary during the year were:

L. T. Shafer, Co. D, Rapids City, Ill.

Malcolm G. Clark, Co. H, Luray, Kas. Mrs. Gorgas Wheeler, Los Angeles, Cal.

Secretary Hevener also reported to the comrades that he had sent out approximately 130 notes of the reunion, including one to the newspapers in every city in which a company had been raised for the regiment.

Executive Committee. On motion of the Secretary the executive committee, composed of President C. H. Noble, O. B. Wyman, of Freeport and A. K. Haberer, of Sterling, was re-elected to serve another year.

Some Short Talks. With the conclusion of the business President Noble called on a number of the veterans present for remarks and H. D. Dement, J. W. Losee, Andrew Haberer, C. D. Tilden, and Charles W. Reynolds responded, after which Rev. F. D. Altman made a short address on the league of nations, the great war's meaning and the duty of America.

The rest of the afternoon the comrades devoted to recalling experiences of their days in the war, and at 6:30 o'clock they gathered at the Tavern dining room for an excellent banquet.

Evening Session. During the interim until the campfire was called to order a number of old soldiers of Dixon called to pay their compliments and greetings to the survivors of the 13th. During the campfire Secretary Hevener presented the financial report, the final bit of business of the day. The report was:

By Mail.	
C. H. Caswell, Co. F	\$ 1.00
Wm. Allen, Co. F	1.00
Tallman Seely, Co. C	1.00
Benj. Zoile, Co. I	.66
Mrs. Venice Cushing, Co. H	2.00
W. H. Jones, Co. G	.50
W. B. Garlick, Co. G	1.00
L. B. Mathews, Co. C	1.00
L. E. Hawley, Co. B	1.00
A. J. Judd, Co. C	.10
D. C. Shaw, Co. I	10.00
J. G. Ketchum, Co. H	1.00
N. Woods, Co. I	4.00
John King	.50
By Registration	12.50
Total	\$32.72

Expenditures.	
Postage and envelopes	\$ 4.55
Printing	4.25
Telephone	3.00
Banquet tickets	2.25
Total	\$14.05

The balance of \$22.67 was tendered Mr. Hevener for his faithful services. A box of cigars was received from Mrs. Charles W. Smith of Pittsburgh, Pa., for the veterans to smoke during the one day of their gathering. A unanimous vote of thanks was extended to the donor for the cigars which were greatly enjoyed by all.

At the close of the business session, the soldiers gathered together and exchanged views on present conditions and discussed the style of fighting in the late world war compared to that of '60s.

Particular housewives always use white paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers. It is 1c a sheet at this office.

COL. CLINNINS HAD FINE PRAISE FOR LEE CO. BOY IN COMMAND

Corp. Herbert McDermott Cited By Commander of Regiment.

A Chicago paper credits Col. Clinnins with the following praise for Corp. Herbert McDermott of Lee county, who returned to his home Easter morning as a casual:

"Just as I was boarding a transport in France I was informed that Corporal Herbert McDermott, of Lee County, Illinois, was left behind with many more brave soldiers. I had been told he was wounded August 7 and died later. If any one deserved a medal that kid sure did. He was a true American and, a soldier for America to be proud of. He belonged to the 4th division, 1st army corps. Some of his relatives may read this."

Col. Clinnins adds the following: "This soldier went into battle for the second time on the Chateau Thierry front after going three days and four nights without anything to eat and only water to drink when they came to streams and then they had to be careful it wasn't poisoned. He and a fellow in his squad was picked out to go on a Cossack post in No Man's Land from 7 until 9 o'clock but were left all night until daybreak. Then they went back to the line and were very sleepy. So he and a sergeant from Co. A crawled in a hole and were falling asleep when the square heads sent gas over and he was ready just in time to save the other sergeant's and his own life. There are fourteen medal men in our outfit. But, no, I am not one of them. You will find them out among the doughboys. They were the lads that won the medals."

"I was discussing this with a sergeant he was under and if his folks have not received a medal that belongs to him they should know he did the best he could and was a true blue American."

SOME CHANGES MADE IN ROUTING OF TRANSPORTS. By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, May 24.—Changes in transport routings announced today included: Finland from Boston to Newport News due May 31; Canandaigua, from Newport News to Philadelphia due May 31; Dakota, from New York to Philadelphia due May 27; battleship New Jersey from Newport News to New York due June 3.

Will our subscribers who get their paper by mail look at the little yellow tag on their Telegraph.

Award Contracts for Additional Highways

By Associated Press Leased Wire Springfield, Ill., May 24.—Awarding of contracts for the Springfield-Peoria highway was announced this morning by the department of public works and buildings. The Springfield-Peoria highway will be constructed from Springfield through the counties of Sangamon, Menard, Mason and Tazewell to Peoria. The contracts for the work aggregate \$1,589,101 and the state furnishes the cement which costs \$404,000 making the total cost of the highway, \$1,993,000. The contracts and bids in part follow:

Section I, Tazewell county, \$127,738. Section J, Tazewell county, \$134,473. Sections Q and L-15-D, Tazewell county, \$137,862.

The contract for the construction of section D, G-15-D and E of the Peoria-Henry highway was awarded to a Kook, Ia., firm for \$108,000. The state will furnish the cement, which will cost \$6,000.

Gen. Gorgas is Off for Colon, Panama

By Associated Press Leased Wire Genoa, Italy, Friday, May 23.—(Delayed.)—Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas, former surgeon general of the United States army and at present head of the American yellow fever commission which is investigating conditions in South America, left here today with his party for Colon.

French Aviator is Ready for Journey

By Associated Press Leased Wire Paris, May 24.—Lieutenant Roge, a French aviator, was ready this morning to begin a flight from Paris to Morocco. The aviator plans to attempt the jump across the Atlantic from Dakar to Brazil if conditions prove favorable.

WINONA STRIKE ENDS

By Associated Press Leased Wire Winona, Minn., May 24.—The six weeks' strike of employees of the Interstate Packing company was settled late yesterday by compromise. Wages were raised but the plant remains an open shop.

Have your dance programs printed at the Evening Telegraph office.

16,000 Troops Sail From Brest Friday

By Associated Press Leased Wire Brest, May 24.—The George Washington, President Wilson's ship on which he has three times crossed the Atlantic, is not expected to sail before June 1. The work of painting the ship was commenced this morning and will occupy the next four days. Naval authorities refuse to say whether they have received orders of any kind from President Wilson.

The Pretoria, Patricia, Great Northern, St. Louis, Frederick, formerly the United States armored cruiser Maryland, and the Ancon sailed last night and this morning with 16,000 troops. These were the last contingent of the 36th division (Texas and Oklahoma) and the 18th (Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania). The first men engaged in the service of supply department to leave France were on these ships.

AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE; MAN THROWN INTO CHICAGO RIVER

By Associated Press Leased Wire Chicago, May 24.—When two automobiles collided on Rush street bridge last night one of the cars shot across the pedestrians' walk, knocked Wm. A. Schoen through the railing into the river and hung suspended over the water. The occupant climbed back to safety while Schoen was drowned.

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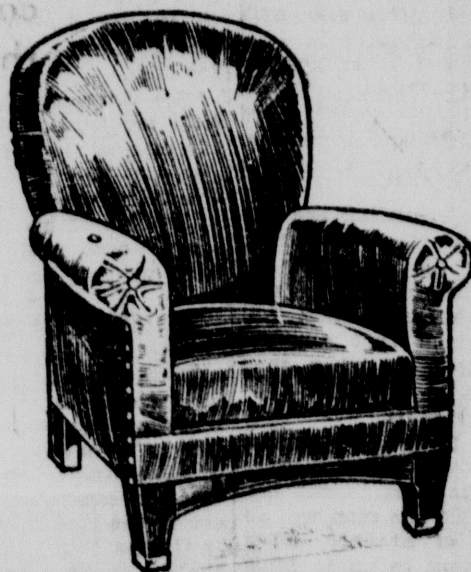
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Society

COMING EVENTS

Monday.
W. R. C. Meeting—G. A. R. Hall.
St. John's Club—Miss Eleanor Fuestman.
Tuesday
Phidian Art Club—Misses Murphy, 409 Second St.
Hoi Polloi Club—Mrs. A. L. Leydig.
Lee County War Mothers—G. A. R. Hall.
Mrs. Shawger's Bible Class of M. E. Sunday School—Mrs. Frank Forman.
U. C. T. Auxiliary—Mrs. L. C. Johnson, 409 N. Dement Ave.

NORTH DIXON ALUMNI MET—

Fifty-six "old grads" attended the annual meeting of the North Dixon Alumni association, held last evening in Kindergarten hall and an unusually pleasant evening was passed, according to all accounts. The business meeting preceded a very pleasing program.

Mrs. Clea Bunnell, president of the organization, welcomed the Class of 1919, in a pleasing talk and response was made by Charles Anderson, president of the class. The minutes of the last meeting and the roll call were given by Ralph Salzman, the secretary. The treasurer's report was also heard and approved. Charles Anderson was elected treasurer for the ensuing year. According to a recent change in the constitution, but one officer is elected each year, the treasurer; the other officers are each advanced a step, the president retiring from office.

The committee on Memorial resolutions; Ray Miller, chairman, offered resolutions on the death of Solomon Williams, who died in France, placing a gold star on the service flag of the school, and that of Mrs. William Hintze who also passed away during the year.

A pleasing musical program followed the adoption of the resolutions. James Cleon giving a vocal solo, Miss Alice Coppins, a violin number, Miss Ione Scott a vocal number, and Earl Sennett a trombone solo. Encores were demanded and graciously given.

Lieut. Sherwood Dixon, of the Class of 1914, was announced as the chief speaker of the evening. He recounted in interesting fashion his experiences with the American army in Italy and in Austria. Through a fortunate combination of circumstance Byron Kost, but recently returned from France, was also present and he told of his experiences on the battle front in France. The accounts from the two battle fronts gave a wider view than is usually obtainable and made the evening one of unusual interest.

Ice cream and cake were served as the refreshments, the former in the national colors, which were everywhere evident also in the decorations. The service flag of the school also held a place of honor.

RETURNED FROM CHICAGO—

Dr. Harriet Ellsworth Saxmann returned today from Chicago, where she held the annual meeting and State convention of the Illinois Woman's Association of Commerce, of which organization she is state president. Through her earnest work in this association, many local branches throughout the state have been organized. Bloomington was the banner city, in point of size and membership, having a membership of one hundred and sixty active members, and this club is planning to build their own club-rooms this year.

The association work, now established in five different field-centers in the United States, will give expression to this forward movement, with a new interpretation, at the next annual national convention, which will be held in St. Louis, July 14th to 18th. Any business woman's organization not affiliated with the national association is invited to communicate with the association, addressing correspondence to national headquarters, 1653 Montadnock building, Chicago. The association does not wish to overlook any organization now in existence, and the united efforts of all business women of America is being sought for this co-operative work.

MERRIMAN SELF—

The marriage of Miss Bessie F. Self, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Self, and Frank Merriman, both of this city, was quietly solemnized this morning at the home of Mrs. Herman L. Craig, of North Dixon, by the pastor of the Christian church, Rev. Ward E. Hall, who resides there. The bride was becomingly costumed in a blue suit with which a white hat and other costume accessories in white were worn. Lilies of the valley formed her corsage bouquet. They will make their home in Twin Falls, Idaho, leaving for the West on the 1:11 train this afternoon. The bride has a brother, Grafton Self, who lives in Twin Falls.

Many pre-nuptial courtesies have been extended the bride by a group of friends with whom she is especially popular. She is an active worker in the Christian church and an altogether charming young woman. Both she and her husband are highly esteemed young

people and the wishes for a large allotment of happiness are many.

FOR MISS REYNOLDS—

Three of the teachers of the Dixon schools, the Misses Esther Barton, Mabel Gustafson, and Dolly Fauth, entertained at the home of Miss Barton last evening in honor of Miss Lauretta Reynolds, also a teacher in the Dixon schools. The other guests were other teachers, the Misses Retta and Carrie Slothower, Miss Gantz, Miss Mason, Miss Schnuckel, Miss Miller, Miss Hasselberg, Miss Benson, Miss Mattison, Miss Herrmann and Miss Miner.

The decorations were in pink and white, hearts and cupid's intermingled with flowers, sweet peas and lilies of the valley. A large basket of the sweet peas and lilies of the valley formed the centerpiece for the luncheon table. The refreshments were in the chosen colors, the lilies heart-shaped.

A ring at the door was answered and Miss Reynolds called. At the door a messenger awaited with a bushel basket which he said contained articles that the janitor had found in her school-room which evidently belonged to her. She opened it to find an assortment of toys and novelties enough to stock a "Fivé and Ten." She had no sooner reached the bottom of this basket when she was called again to the door, this time to receive a basket elaborately decorated in pink and white and containing a number of beautiful gifts in cu glass, china, linen, etc.

Games and music were enjoyed during the evening until the serving of refreshments at 11:30.

AT PEOPLE'S CHURCH—

There will be a special service at the People's Church Sunday night at eight o'clock which will be in keeping with the spirit of the Memorial occasion. The subject of the address will be "The Newer and Higher Patriotism." It will connect the Love of God with the Love of country. Until patriotism becomes religious, citizenship can not be Christian. Reverence for the Father of all men finds expression in respect for the inalienable rights of all men. Old soldiers, young soldiers and civilian soldiers will find this service worth attending.

MYSTIC WORKERS MEETING—

The regular meeting of the Mystic Workers held last evening was very largely attended. Following the meeting the social committee served refreshments of ice cream and cake. One of the pleasant parts of the meeting was the presence of two members of the Johnson brothers, who have just returned from overseas. They gave talks upon their experiences and answered numerous questions put to them by the members. The Mystics were surely glad to welcome the boys from France.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bloomsdahl entertained at dinner Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heuer and Reinhold Heuer, of Cameron, Wis. The latter arrived in Dixon Sunday morning after serving with the American army for several months in France.

FOR ANNIVERSARY—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, of 107 E. Eighth street, were made hosts on Thursday evening, at a surprise party honoring their eighth wedding anniversary. The company numbered twenty. Music and dancing were the early evening diversions and supper was served at midnight.

OFFICERS OF M. E. AID—

Mrs. Harry L. Fordham was chosen president of the Aid society of the Methodist church, at the annual business meeting held yesterday afternoon. Other officers chosen were: Vice president, Mrs. George P. Powell; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Swin; secretary, Mrs. Arthur Algar. Other business was also transacted.

WITH MRS. FORMAN—

The Young Woman's Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school, taught by Mrs. Edward Shawger, will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Forman, 722 East Second street. All members are urged to be present.

POST-PLAY DANCE—

A post-play dance will be given Mon-



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day evening at Rosbrook hall by some of the members of the play cast, "The Girl With the Green Eyes," which is to be presented earlier in the evening at the opera house by members of St. Mary's Guild and the Knight of Columbus.

RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA—

Mrs. George Squires arrived this morning at 9 o'clock from Los Angeles, where she has been spending the winter, and left on the 11 o'clock train for Chicago, where she will meet her daughter, Mrs. Hopper. She will return to Dixon in a few days to re-open her home in Bluff Park.

TO ROCKFORD COLLEGE PLAY—

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swartz and family are leaving this morning for Rockford where they will visit their daughter, Miss Myrtle Swartz, a student at Rockford college. While there they will attend the May party given by the students of the college.

G. A. R. CIRCLE, ATTENTION—

The members of Dixon Circle, No. 73, Ladies of the G. A. R., are requested to meet in G. A. R. hall Sunday evening promptly at 7 o'clock in order to attend in a body the Memorial service at the Presbyterian church at 7:30 that evening.

TO ADDRESS WAR MOTHERS—

The meeting of the Lee County War Mothers' Council on Tuesday afternoon at G. A. R. hall, will be addressed by Rev. Fr. Foley. It is hoped that all the members will be present to enjoy the interesting program which is promised.

VISIT IN ELKHART—

Mrs. Joseph Beech has returned from a visit with her son in Elkhart, Ind. Rev. Mr. Beech, who accompanied her went on to New York. The son, Robert, who also was with him, will spend some time in Asbury Park with his aunt, Mrs. Beatty.

VISIT MRS. EMERSON—

Mrs. N. E. Butteworth, Mrs. Helen Sleigh and Mrs. Jennie Barnes, of Maquoketa, Ia., are visiting at the home of Mrs. H. L. Emerson. The former is Mrs. Emerson's mother and the other two are her aunts.

U. C. T. AUXILIARY—

A meeting of the U. C. T. Auxiliary will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. C. Johnson, 409 N. Dement avenue, when members may bring their own work as there will be no Red Cross sewing.

FOR WEEK-END VISIT—

Mrs. John Hickey and sister, Miss Bernice Weldon, and Miss Marcella Callahan, all of Rockford, are spending the week-end here at the P. J. McIntyre home.

LEE CENTER SENIOR PLAY—

The Senior class of the Lee Center High school will present as its class play on Monday evening, May 26th, at 8:30 o'clock in the Woodman hall in Lee Center, "The Elopement of Ellen."

TO TAMPICO PARTY—

The Misses Mary and Nell Ryan and Marie Condon, and some gentlemen from Polo, motored to Tampico Thurs-

day evening and attended a dancing party there.

W. R. C. ATTENTION—

The president of the Woman's Relief Corps requests all members to be at the hall at 7 o'clock Sunday evening to attend in a body the Memorial service at the Presbyterian church.

FROLICKERS' DANCE—

The Frolickers club will give a dancing party in Rosbrook hall, Friday evening, May 30th, at 8:30 o'clock.

AT LIGHTNER HOME—

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Lightner entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George Lightner and son, Alfred and Mrs. Nan Little.

SISTER DIED IN IOWA—

Joshua E. Houpt, of Dixon avenue, was called to Marshalltown, Ia., by the death of his sister, Mrs. David Myers.

VISITED MOTHER—

H. R. Bell, of Hammond, Ind., was here Thursday to pay a brief visit to his mother, Mrs. Della Bell, and sister, Mrs. W. F. Strong.

ENDS VISIT HERE—

Dana McGrew, of Minneapolis, after a week's visit at the home of his sister-in-law, Miss Bonnie Rosbrook, left last evening for the Northwest.

WITH DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook entertained with a dinner last evening.

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FOR SALE—Sewing machine. Inquire at 519 Jackson Ave. 12316

THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

By JANE PHELPS.

A VISIT TO A FORTUNE TELLER.

CHAPTER VII.

We had a delightful dinner. I may have appreciated it the more because of late they had seemed either lonely and dull without Neil, or he had been dispirited, uninterested. But both he and Mr. Frederick exerted themselves and we had a really lively time. Aunt fairly beamed. The conversation turned on fortune telling, and while we all declared our skepticism, each of us confessed to having at some time gone to hear what the seers could tell us. Mr. Frederick said:

"There is a very good one here now, a man named Cary. He has apartments at one of the hotels uptown, and does a smashing business."

"I should like to visit him," aunt said to him, "it is years since I have had my fortune told. Then it was by a traveling Gypsy. She used a greasy pack of cards. I was afraid of disease."

"Oh, this man is a well groomed fellow. Imagine he makes money," Frederick replied.

"You have visited him?" I asked quizzically.

"I have to confess that I have, not once, but several times. The last time in San Francisco."

"But did he tell you anything? Anything you cared to know, and didn't know before you went to him?" I again questioned him.

"Yes—yes—I think he did tell me some things I wanted to know. Some that I didn't care about also."

"Come Frederick," Neil broke in, "You'll have Bab running to all the fortune tellers in town. I for one don't believe they know any more than we do about the future. They are merely good readers of character. He will probably tell Bab she is to be married again, have half a dozen children, and go on a journey. I believe that is about the extent of their stock in trade."

We all laughed at him, but aunt was not to be turned from her purpose. So she insisted upon learning the name of the hotel at which the seer was staying, and after dinner she telephoned and asked his office hours.

"We will go tomorrow morning," she said to me as she turned from the phone. "We'll get an early start so there won't be too many ahead of us."

"Judging from the crowd waiting for him in San Francisco some of them must have been there all night," Mr. Frederick told her.

"I shan't be happy unless I can see him before I go home," she said. I have heard one can ask them questions and that they answer them perfectly."

"You have to write the question on a slip of paper. He lays them on his forehead, then repeats the question, afterward giving you his answer." I was amused at the naïveté with which Mr. Frederick told her all about this man. Evidently he had some faith in him, his prognostications.

We played bridge for a little while then he left early, promising Neil to drop in the office next day.

"You seem much better Neil, Mr. Frederick has done you good, his aunt remarked, giving expression to my thought."

We had scarcely finished breakfast the next morning before aunt commenced to hurry me so that we might get to the hotel where the fortune teller was staying. Even so we found several waiting in the reception room. It gave me an uneasy feeling to hear them whisper and see them keep looking toward a closed door. I began to think there might be something he could tell me after all. I overheard one woman say:

"We must think of what we are going to ask him. I am sure if I don't I'll be so frightened I won't find out a single thing I really want to know." I at once commenced to think of questions I wanted to ask.

We waited nearly an hour before it came our turn. I then insisted that aunt go in first. She came out beaming.

"He is wonderful Bab, simply wonderful! I will tell you all he told me after you come out."

Silly as I felt it to be I trembled as I walked into the presence of a quiet looking, quietly dressed man.

"Write six questions on these slips of paper," he laid them on the table beside me. I took me but a few moments as I knew exactly what I was going to ask, thanks to the woman whom I had overheard. He took them from me, laid one on his forehead, waited a moment, then said:

"You want to know if some one you love is perfectly honest in his business methods, and if he is going to continue his past success."

It was the one of all my questions

in which I was particularly interested. I almost held my breath while I waited for his reply.

(To Be Continued.)

Bad Weather Again Delays U. S. Plane

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, May 24.—Weather conditions still were unfavorable for the naval seaplane NC-4's start from Ponta Delgada for Lisbon today. A message announcing the flight would not be attempted was received by the navy department from Admiral Jackson at Ponta Delgada this morning but caused no disappointment as weather forecasts had indicated continuation of storms in the vicinity of the Azores.

Shantung Decision Aggravates Chinese

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peking, Friday, May 23.—(Delayed)—Foreign missionary organizations here have adopted a resolution, which will be enabled to the peace conference, calling attention to the serious conditions created by the decision on the Shantung question. The resolution expresses the opinion that Chinese dissatisfaction is justified.

The anti-Japanese boycott is spreading, particularly at Shantung. Japanese authorities have lodged a protest against the use of the term "enemy goods" with relation to Japanese goods.

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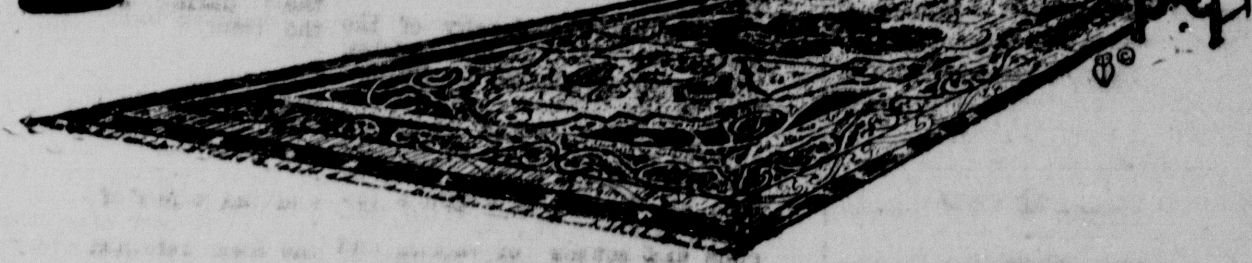
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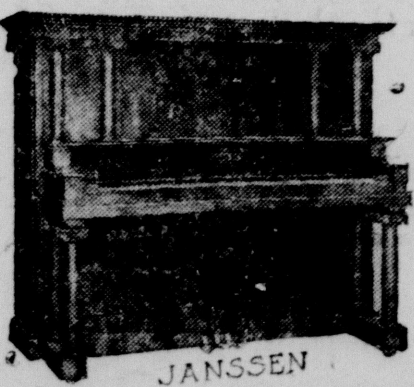
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REPARATION FOR PETTY THEFT.

Germany's cabinet has "authorized" the Associated Press to give it out that Germany declines to sign the peace terms because they sign "the economic destruction, political dishonor and moral degradation of the entire German nation, not only for the present but also for still unborn generations." But the cabinet has not said anything like that yet to the peace conference or to General Foch. This is the time for them to do their windjamming, and they are not passing it up.

Nothing in the 80,000 word peace treaty can be more humiliating to Germany, if Germany retains any sense of honor, than the clause requiring the return of certain articles collected in imperial days from various parts of the earth.

They include the Koran of the Caliph Othman, which was formerly kept as a precious relic at the sacred city of Medina, and which is now to be given into the custody of the king of the Hedjaz. They include, too the skull of the Sultan Okawa of German East Africa, which is to be handed to the British government and which will then return to the tribe it belongs to.

There are also certain papers taken from France in 1870, the character of which is not revealed, but which must have considerable historical or antiquarian value. And last, but not least, there are the astronomical instruments carried off from the royal Chinese observatory at Peking at the time of the Boxer trouble—the oldest instruments of their kind in the world, which since they left China have stood as ornaments on the front lawn of the Kaiser's palace at Potsdam.

Thus Germany finds herself forced to disgorge the products of petty thieving almost forgotten, no less than her gigantic loot in the present war. The German spirit is revealed as predatory from the very beginning of the empire, and just as ready to steal a skull or a book as a province or a kingdom.

A kingdom may be returned with a grand flourish. But with what grace can petty theft be made good?

IS GOOD BILL FOR CHICAGO.

Perhaps the next best thing to a commission form of government for Chicago would be passage at Springfield of the bill to allow Chicago to select its city officers on a non-partisan basis. This bill has already passed the state senate and is now up to the house.

The new measure, which has the endorsement of the Chicago city council and is backed by a number of the city's civic organizations, would go well in connection with another bill, also before the legislature, for reduction of the number of Chicago wards to fifty, each ward to have only one member in the city council. This bill has been favorably reported to the house by the committee on elections.

The non-partisan election bill provides that city officials, including the mayor, shall have their names placed upon the ballot by petition only. Any candidate receiving a majority of the votes cast for that office at a non-partisan primary to be held on last Tuesday in March would be declared elected. In case no candidate for a particular office receives a majority at the primary the two candidates getting the largest vote would be voted for at an election to be held on the last Tuesday in April. It is worthy of note that the expense of a second or general election would be saved whenever one candidate at a primary was able to poll a majority vote. The bill specifies that no party designation shall appear on the ballot at either the primary or the election and that the names of candidates shall be rotated, in order that none may have any advantage of position.

Thus there would be no chance, whether the choice was made in the primary or the second election, for a minority candidate to succeed, as in the case of the recent reelection of Mayor Thompson, which was possible only through the multiplicity of candidates and the plurality elects.

Lost Battalion Story Told By "Y" Man
Who Was First Civilian To Aid SurvivorsS. B. Burrows, of New York,
Says "WE'RE Americans
—We Can't Surrender"
Was Real Reply of Lieut.
Col. Whittlesey To German
Demand To Quit

One of the most prized traditions of the war has been shattered—the famous "Go to hell" of Lieut. Col. Charles W. Whittlesey, of the "Lost Battalion," in reply to the German demand for surrender.

The message which thrilled the world when the story of the "Lost Battalion" was told was never sent, according to Stephen B. Burrows, of New York, a Y.M.C.A. man, recently returned from France, who with Harry W. Blair, of Carthage, Mo., another "Y" man, was the first civilian to give aid to the American heroes when they were rescued in the depths of the Argonne Forest last October. Burrows asserts that no reply whatever was made to the boche call to the Americans to quit.

During the six days and nights in which the battalion, cut off from all help, was enduring wounds, thirst, hunger and constant attacks by the Germans, Burrows and Blair were within 1,000 yards of the beleaguered troops, helping to care for the wounded and giving out supplies. In support of his statement that no reply was made to the Germans, Burrows points out that there were no means at hand for sending an answer unless that answer was an agreement to surrender.

Followed Boys Over Top
Burrows and Blair were attached to the 308th Infantry and followed the boys over the top when the 77th Division began its great drive on the Argonne Forest last September. During the first five days' fight, in which the doughboys hacked their way to the middle of the fourteen-mile wedge of woods, Burrows was at work giving out supplies and caring for the wounded, and he was in the front line when, on October 2, the order came to Col. Whittlesey to advance his men 1,000 yards.

The jungle-like density of the forest, the Y.M.C.A. man relates, was largely responsible for the success of the German coup which nearly cost the lives of Whittlesey and 600 men. As soon as Whittlesey advanced, the enemy filtered by both his flanks and within a few hours, by means of hidden machine guns and squads of snipers and grenade throwers, had cut off the battalion entirely from the 77th's lines.

For two days, Burrows says, the fate of the battalion was not known. Then some pigeons arrived giving some details of the disaster and describing the battalion's position in the forest. Meanwhile every effort was being made to cut a way through to the relief of the boys. So strong was the concentration of machine guns, that daylight fighting was little better than suicide.

S. B. Burrows, Esq.,
811 Beverly Road,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Burrows:

You have called my attention to the fact that the statement has been made that, on the relief of the "Lost Battalion," money was charged by the Y.M.C.A. for chocolate and cocoa supplied to the men. Of course you and I know that this is not a fact, and I take great pleasure in stating that on that occasion the first hot food which the men received was the cocoa supplied by the Y.M.C.A.

The assistance of the Y.M.C.A. at that time was tremendously appreciated by the men and by the officers, and was given in a fine and liberal spirit without any suggestion of reimbursement. Furthermore, the Y.M.C.A. was the only organization present at that time. I should like to add that the work of the Y.M.C.A. in our regiment was of the very greatest help, and was thoroughly and gratefully appreciated.

Sincerely,

Charles W. Whittlesey.

Two Y. M. C. A. Men Were
Within 1,000 Yards of Be-
sieged Doughboys During
Week of Peril, and Were
First Civilians to Aid Them
When Rescued

had been knocked out with grenades and wounded by machine gun bullets.

This survivor, blindfolded and with the German note in his hand, was led to a point near the left flank of the battalion. One of Whittlesey's men crawled through the underbrush, found the prisoner and guided him back to his comrades. The note was taken to Col. Whittlesey. In effect, it is said that the battalion, which had been without food for four days, was entirely surrounded and could not hope to escape; and urged that, in mercy to the wounded and to those still living, further resistance should be abandoned.

According to members of the battalion whom Burrows talked with immediately after their rescue, Col. Whittlesey remarked, after carefully reading the note:

"We're Americans—we can't sur-
render."

Could Not Send Reply
In order to make any reply, the "Y" man explains, either a doughboy would have to carry it, becoming a prisoner, or it would have to be shouted, a dangerous proceeding because it would help indicate the position of the battalion. So the boys simply dug themselves in and hung on.

In two days, more than 1,000 casualties resulted from the attempts to rescue the battalion, Burrows says. The troops had to make all their dashes by night, and the only route by which they could approach the advance position was up a winding ravine in which the Germans had built a narrow guano track. The enemy kept this ravine under constant fire, and the casualties among the relief squads were heavy.

When the battalion finally was rescued, Burrows and Blair, who had moved up their supplies, had hot drinks and cigarettes for the 400 survivors as they were brought back into the lines and helped give first aid to the wounded and get them back to the dressing station.

Burrows is loud in praise of the late Maj. James A. Roosevelt and his men of the supply company since without their help it would have been impossible to get Y. M. C. A. supplies up to the boys in the front lines. As it was, Burrows and Blair were always able to give fairly prompt service. After the first of October they gave away more than 28,000 francs of supplies to the doughboys of their division, making no attempt to sell anything.

Burrows and Blair were with the 77th Division during the Argonne fight and remained with it until the armistice was signed. Burrows is married, has three children and is an electrical engineer. Blair, who is still in France, is a lawyer.

45 YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Northwestern railroad announced a 7 per cent reduction in freight rates between Chicago and Dixon.

Justice of the Peace William Stevens was knocked down and run over by a cow in his stable, sustaining painful injuries.

Louis Crippen of this city, a Chicago & Northwestern freight conductor, was killed while making up his train in the Chicago yards. His remains were brought to Dixon for burial.

John K. Burkett accepted a position as day clerk at the Nachusa House.

Edwin W. Hine, well known Dixon man, passed away.

20 YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Charles Donnelly, who was a member of the crew of Admiral Dewey's flagship Baltimore, at Manila Bay, arrived home for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Donnelly of this city.

Forty-two veterans attended the 38th reunion of the Thirtieth Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

Maximum and minimum temperature for the day: 79 and 54.

John Farrell of Oregon purchased the cigar manufacturing and tobacco business owned by Joseph Pollak, and moved his family to this city.

TEN YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Dixon and northern Illinois people reported feeling an earthquake early in the morning.

North Dixon high school seniors entertained a large crowd with their class night exercises.

Maximum and minimum temperatures for the day: 61 and 57.

The Wicher residence on Ottawa ave. was struck by lightning, a large hole being torn in the roof.

MAY INVITE DIXON
TO ENTER LEAGUE

A movement has been launched in Sterling for the organization of a baseball league, taking in teams from Morrison, Dixon, Clinton, Erie, Prophetstown and Sterling. Joe Killian, former league player, is sponsoring the movement and is taking the matter up with other cities in this vicinity. It is pointed out that a league, such as is proposed, could be run with very little expense as most of the traveling could be done in automobiles, so near are the cities to each other.

Post Play Dance Monday night. Rosbrook hall.

ABE MARTIN



It's gittin' so lots o' folks run t' an automobile wreck jest t' git a drink. We never remember whether a pleasant woman wuz purty or not.



GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Graf, pastor.

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Morning Service 10:30 a. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. John Dornhoefer, Pastor

The services of tomorrow are of special interest.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Supt. A. L. Wilson.

Announcement of Spanish Barbecue.

Morning service, 11:00. Special solo by Byron Brooks. Sermon subject: Echoes from Conference of Illinois.

Evening service, 7:30. Special patriotic music by choir. The speaker for the evening will be Arthur Handel, who has been in action with the U. S. army in France. Come and get first hand information from this soldier.

RED CROSS FUND TO
HELP LEE CO. BOYS

The Lee county chapter of the American Red Cross yesterday forwarded a check to Attorney Henry S. Dixon for \$350. This amount is to be used by Mr. Dixon and Capt. C. G. Preston for Lee county soldiers returning from abroad. Many of the boys, it is expected, will find their funds limited when landing in New York and these will be assisted from this amount. Any other necessities that may be found to exist among the soldiers will be taken care of out of this fund.

PEACE SUMMARY

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Germany's chief plenipotentiaries are back at Versailles today after an important consultation held yesterday at Spa with Premier Scheide-mann and other representatives of the German home government.

It had been announced in advance from Berlin that the framing of Germany's counter proposals to the allied peace terms was to be considered at the Spa conference and it seems probable that the final form of these proposals now has been decided upon. Germany must present the proposals within the week's extension of time for replying recently granted her, which expires on next Thursday.

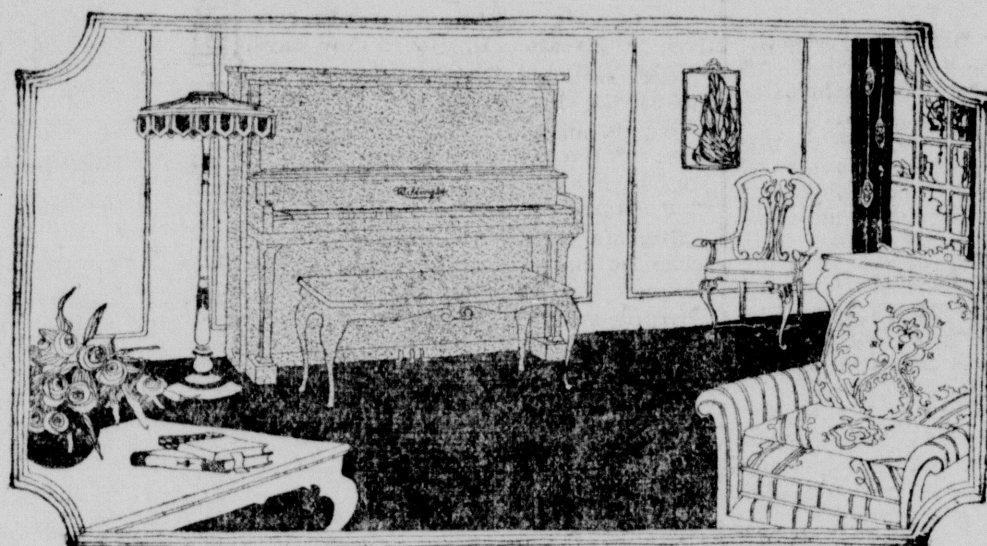
The peace conferees have been by no means idle, however but have been devoting much attention to the shaping of the peace treaty to the presented to the Austrian delegates. As a result has been announced that a plenary session of the peace conference to be held on Tuesday next, the treaty with Austria will be formally laid before the representatives of the allied nations assembled at Paris. The next day, it is expected, the terms will be handed the Austrian representatives.

The military terms of the document, it is understood, will provide that Austria's great army, in 1914 second only to that of Germany, be reduced to a mere handful of 15,000 men. All implements of war now in the hands of the Austrians are to be destroyed and the further manufacture of munitions is to be forbidden. The naval terms, published in part some time ago, sweep away the whole Austrian navy.

Dispatches from Paris indicate that the work of the peace conference will not end with the signing of the treaties between the allies and the central empires, Bulgaria and Turkey. It is said that the work of adjusting conflicting views on subjects which are important to the allies is likely to take considerable time. It is believed therefore, that American representatives will remain in Paris after the peace has been made and President Wilson has left for the United States, to consider with the representatives of other governments the varied subjects still demanding attention.

HARRINGTON BACK ON
OLD JOB MONDAY A.M.

Floyd Harrington, known to his many Dixon friends as "Spot," who recently returned from France where he served with Company E of the 13th Engineers, will resume his former duties with the Northwestern switching crew in this city Monday morning. Chris Blackburn, who has been working with the local crew takes a place on a night switching crew in the Nelson yards, which increased railroad business has made necessary, and which will be put on the first of the week.



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France. It is likely the old Dixon company will be sent to Chicago with other troops for a parade and will then be sent to Camp Grant for discharge, and since reports from that cantonment are to the effect that the officers are planning to break all discharge records in releasing the men of the Prairie Division it is possible Dixon's men may be home within ten days or two weeks.

Camp Grant Ready.

Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., May 24. When the Prairie division arrives at Camp Grant the local discharge mill plans to break all records. An average of 3,000 a day will be maintained so as to muster out the 33d fighters as soon as possible. This camp can house 30,000 troops should the war department decide to concentrate there.

With a record of having discharged more than 4,000 32d soldiers, Michigan and Wisconsin National guard troops, the last week, Camp Grant's population today made a new low mark, there being but 5,530 officers and men here. On March 1 the permanent camp personnel totaled 15,000. The overworked discharge officials were granted a half holiday today in preparation for the influx of 32d division troops beginning next Tuesday or Wednesday.

The Prairie troops coming to Camp Grant next week will find clean, commodious quarters. The entire area formerly occupied by the 161st depot brigade will be turned over to them.

Reception in Chicago.

The Telegraph is in receipt of the following communication from the 123rd Field Artillery Home Folks' association which will be of great interest to all relatives of Company G boys who plan to go to Chicago to meet the regiment when it parades there:

To the Relatives and Friends of the 123rd F. A.—Plans for welcoming the men of the regiment when they arrive in Chicago are somewhat indefinite because it has not yet been determined on what date they will parade here. Therefore, we cannot give you details at this time but suggest that you watch the daily papers for announcements of arrival and the program which will be followed.

We have prepared badges and will be glad to send our design or order some of the same for any of the Home Folks who wish them.

The Association Headquarters at the Morrison Hotel are open daily from ten to five o'clock and information can be obtained there.

The 123rd Field Artillery penants at \$1 each, the 33rd Division insignia at 35c each, and also the association pin or button can be obtained at headquarters.

Write, wire, or phone to 123rd Field Artillery Headquarters, Morrison Hotel, Chicago.

Plans are under way for a reception to be given to the out-of-town friends of the men of the regiment on the afternoon of the day the regiment is in Chicago. Further information as to time and place may be had on inquiry at headquarters. Mrs. J. W. Blake, Chairman, Guest Committee.

Hines Asks Billion for Use of Railways During Fiscal Year

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Appropriation of \$1,200,000,000 in addition to \$500,000,000 already provided, for use of the railroad administration during 1918 and 1919 was requested today by Director General Hines.

The estimate revealed that there had been an operating deficit of \$236,184,940 during the last calendar year and of \$250,000,000 during the first four months of 1919.

Of the total of \$1,700,000,000 appropriated and requested, Mr. Hines said that \$1,214,000,000 eventually would be returned to the government. This includes money tied up in working capital and advanced on account of the railroad corporations.

CHILDREN NARROWLY ESCAPED BAD HURTS

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. John Nagle, Third street and Monroe, narrowly escaped being run over by an automobile when they attempted to cross the street ahead of it this morning about 10 o'clock. The fact that the car was being driven at a slow rate of speed and that the driver retained presence of mind is responsible for the fact that the two children were not seriously injured. One of the children was brushed by the fender but was not injured, the other escaping when the driver applied the emergency brake.

ATTORNEY GANNON AT HARMON SCHOOL

Attorney Martin J. Gannon delivered the graduation address last evening at the exercises at the Harmon high school. The subject of his address was "Cast out the Immense Ocean of Futurity." Attorney Gannon took the place of State's Attorney Edwards who was unable to attend on account of a bad cold. The speaker handled his topic in a patriotic manner and his address was greatly enjoyed by the large number who attended the exercises.

Taken Ill Suddenly—Bert Carr, express messenger at the Northwestern depot was taken suddenly ill this morning while loading a truck of express on a passenger train. He suffered intense pain and was hurried to his home, 611 North Jefferson avenue, where a physician attended him and found that he was suffering from a severe attack of lumbago. Reports from the home this afternoon are to the effect that he is resting easily but that he may be laid up for several days.

Licensed to Wed—A marriage license was issued this morning to Frank P. Merriman and Miss Frances Bess Self, both of this city.

Society

MARRIED IN MORRISON—

Sterling Gazette: Miss Sadie Crotts, of Sterling, and Orin Abell, of West Brooklyn, who was recently discharged from the service, were united in marriage Thursday noon at 12:30 o'clock at the M. E. parsonage in Morrison. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. P. Barnum, pastor of the church, in the presence of the bride's father, immediately after the ceremony they left for West Brooklyn, where they will make their home.

WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emmert entertained at dinner at their home near Nachusa with a birthday dinner recently for the latter's sister, Mrs. Merle McCartney. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. McCartney and family, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Graehling and family, Mrs. Roland Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bedient and family.

ATTENDED DANCE—

Among the out-of-town guests at the Company F dance last evening were Giles Green, D. D. Lingle and Mr. McKenzie, of Sterling; Wm. Chapman, of Ashton, and Miles Bowers, of Polo.

TO BLUE EARTH, MINN.—

Mrs. Thomas Cheate left Thursday evening for Blue Earth, Minn., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. I. G. Ankeny.

WITH MOTHER—

Ira Myers, of Chicago, was a guest today of his mother, Mrs. Harvey E. Myers, of Palmyra. He came last evening and returns to Chicago this evening.

TO ZANESVILLE, O.—

Oscar Thompson, son of J. Howard Thompson, has gone to Zanesville, O., to visit his aunt, Mrs. Lillian Abell. He will spend the summer there.

GUEST FROM CHICAGO—

Dr. Merton O. Arnold, of Chicago, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Harvey Senneff.

GUESTS FROM HARMON—

Mr. and Mrs. John Farley were here from Harmon Thursday, the guests of Mrs. James Lonergan, the former's sister.

BRIDGE PARTY—

Mrs. F. X. Newcomer entertained a few friends last evening at bridge in honor of her sister, Miss Clementine Walgreen, of Juneau, Alaska.

MISS BROWN HOME—

Miss Ruth Brown arrived last evening from Chicago for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown.

TO ASSEMBLY PARK—

Mrs. Henry Utley, of Springfield, Ill., has rented the Moss cottage at the Assembly Park for the summer.

WITH MRS. ROSBROOK—

Miss Wilcox, of Amboy, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook.

MAN WHO DESERTED NAVY TO SERVE IN ARMY TO GO FREE

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—Frank Wesley Allee, of Springfield, Mo., who admits he deserted from the United States navy to enlist in the army where he saw active service at Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel and in the Argonne woods under the name of Jack Anderson will not be punished for violating the rules of the navy. Word was received from the navy department at Washington today that the charges against him had been dismissed and that he is to report for duty at the Great Lakes naval training station where he had been held a prisoner.

The record of his service is one of the strangest in the annals of the army and navy.

Allee at the age of 16 years entered the navy in February 1917 in the hope of seeing active and immediate service. As a bugler on the battleship South Carolina, active service seemed far away to him so he deserted and under the name of Jack Anderson enlisted in the 602nd engineers and was sent to France without delay. A month ago he was honorably discharged from the army and immediately surrendered to the authorities at Great Lakes naval training station where he was held a prisoner until his story was investigated and he was pardoned.

Dedicate Memorial at Camp Grant 30th

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Camp Grant, Ill., May 24.—Dedication

of a memorial arch to the 1,238 Camp Grant soldiers who have died in service here during the last twenty months will be a feature of the memorial day program arranged by the base hospital for May 30.

The arch will span the main highway leading to the hospital and will contain a glass panel on which will be inscribed the names of all the soldiers who met death in the performance of duty here, 3,000 miles from the nearest battle field.

LEE CENTER SCHOOL GRADUATION WEEK

The program for the commencement exercises of the Lee Center High school includes activities for several nights during the week as follows:

Sunday, May 25.—Baccalaureate service at Congregational church.

Monday, 8:30 p. m.—Class play at Woodman hall.

Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—Eighth grade graduation at Woodman hall.

Friday, 8:30 p. m.—High school commencement at Congregational church.

SCORE BOARD AT PARK.

Work was started this morning in erecting the score board at the Brown shoe factory ball park on College avenue and First street. The board will bear advertisements from several Dixon business firms and will be painted and finished, ready for the first game of the season which will be played Decoration day afternoon between the Dixon United Commercial Travelers and the shoe factory team.

Mrs. August Crohens, of Walton, was a Saturday shopper.

Nebraska Surgeon First to Use Plane in Making His Calls

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Beaver City, Neb., May 24.—Dr. F. A. Brewster of this city, using an airplane here recently purchased for making long professional calls, flew sixty miles to McCook, Neb., this morning to perform two surgical operations. The trip was made in fifty minutes. He plans to return by plane this afternoon.

Dr. Brewster completed his first long distance flight yesterday. Leaving Beaver City at 2 p. m., he flew to Herndon, Kansas, 55 miles distant, performed a surgical operation on a patient whose skull had been fractured in a Kansas oil derrick accident and returned via the aerial route before sundown. His actual flying time to Herndon and return was less than two hours.

Wade Stevens, of Beaver City, a former army aviator instructor, is the doctor's pilot.

BREEDERS' ASSN. IS INCORPORATED TODAY

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Springfield, Ill., May 23.—The Rock River Valley Breeders' Ass'n. of Dixon was incorporated Friday by Secretary of State Emmerson. Its purpose is to deal in live stock, its capital stock is placed at \$5,000, the incorporators are: C. B. Swartz, E. M. Detweiler, Henry W. Hey, F. N. Vaughan, C. Lee Stauffer, L. H. Griffith and E. J. Countryman.

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AUSTRIANS PROTEST AGAINST ART CLAIM PRESENTED BY ITALY

Peace Conference Will Decide Ownership of Many Valuables.

VIENNA, April 21. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The Vienna Press is making violent protests against the Italian claims for works of art, declaring that the Italians are introducing old Napoleonic methods of robbing galleries.

Professor Faio d'Ancona of Milan, who is at the head of the Italian Art Mission, told the correspondent of The Associated Press that the whole matter had been laid before the Peace Conference for decision and that the Italians so far are placing the works of art under sequestration, so that they may be protected in case of Bolshevik attempts to destroy, steal or resell them as happened with the Hermitage Gallery, at Petrograd. The Italians feared this might be the fate of the Budapest Gallery containing such priceless works as Raphael's Madonna.

Professor d'Ancona stated that the Italian claims fall under three heads: First, indemnities for art works, valued at \$10,000,000 destroyed by the Austrians in Italy during the war, including the air raids at Venice, Ancona, Padua, Ravenna and other points; second, works which have been stolen from Italy in the past; third, works which logically belong to territory now occupied by Italy or about to become her property, including Pola, Lissa Island and Fiume.

There are also provisional claims for Italy's share which belong to her historically in case the museums of Vienna and Budapest should be divided among the nations of the former Empire, the Czechs have already submitted a similar claim.

Professor d'Ancona said that among the works of art restitution of which is demanded by Italy are eighteen paintings, of which only one is not Italian, the exception being the larger of two portraits of Rembrandt. These eighteen works have been valued at about \$5,000,000. Other notable works claimed are Raphael's "Madonna del Prato," "Jupiter and Io," by Correggio; five other Correggios of the twenty that are in the Austrian Imperial Museum; Titian's "Madonna Della Ciliege," Meretti's "San Gustinus" and two Tintoretis, one being "Susanna and the Elders."

Among second-class works alleged to have been stolen from Italy collection is the famous Florentine Diamond which Italians and included in the Hof Museum claim as part of the treasures of Tuscany carried off by Princess Anna Maria of Medici, contrary to agreement when nearly two centuries ago she renounced the Tuscan throne in order to become Empress of Austria. There is also a collection of Venetian arms and manuscripts and Italian War trophies which the Italians claim have been stolen at various times but which Austria has always refused to restore.

Regarding the 150 paintings which the Italians took in February it is stated that the Austrians have admitted the justice of Italy's claims to them as these works were alleged to have been stolen by Austria after the downfall of Napoleon.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued from the office of the county clerk:

Chris Snodgrass and Miss Anna M. Gundelfinger, both of Rock Falls.

Lawrence A. Harrington and Miss E. atrice M. Hallock of Paw Paw.

NOTICE

Subscriptions to the Telegraph must be paid in advance or if you prefer pay your carrier boy each week. Subscriptions are no longer allowed to run in definitely.

ODDS AND ENDS

OREGON—The Oregon Community house, a memorial for soldiers in the world war, will be dedicated on Memorial day.

SYCAMORE—The first suit of its kind ever brought in this part of the state is that of Andrew Johnson of Aurora who asks \$10,000 damages of Geo. Madison, a DeKalb county farmer, for the loss of his left hand in a corn picking machine.

AURORA—Knights Templar from all over the northern part of the state—3000 in number—are expected to take part in a great parade of knights on Ascension Sunday, June 1. Right Eminent Sir Knight James McCredie of this city, grand commander of the Knights Templar of Illinois, will be the guest of honor. It is expected that 2000 from Chicago will attend.

GENESEO—The Methodist congregation of this place will erect a new church building at a cost of \$50,000 to replace the one destroyed by fire a year ago.

MOLINE—Master plumbers of Moline have made an agreement with the journeymen whereby the latter will receive \$7 a day during the next year.

ROCK ISLAND—Confident that the new rates will be legally approved, the head camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, has planned a great membership campaign in all portions of the society's jurisdiction.

FREEPORT—David Moseley, colored, has filed suit for \$5000 against the Freeport Daily Bulletin, alleging that an article written by the editor of the paper, during Moseley's trial on the charge of bootlegging was damaging to his character.

ROCK ISLAND—Eight hundred of the 1774 graduates of the Rock Island high school since its inception in 1874 have been invited to attend the alumni dinner and dance here on May 31.

ROCKFORD—The park board of Rockford has contracted to purchase 140 acres of land on the west side, just outside the city limits, which will be used for park purposes. The name of the park has not been decided on.

ROCKFORD—Victor M. Johnson, first local chief of the Kiwanis club, has been elected president of the district governors of the United States and Canada at the annual meeting of the national association in Birmingham, Ala.

FREEPORT—A petition 60 feet long and containing 2534 names asking that Stephenson county boys in Siberia be returned home at once, has been forwarded to President Wilson.

AURORA—Women of Kane county are mislaying their husbands if the records of the divorce court are a criterion. In the 117 cases filed at Geneva, the county seat, 97 were brought by the women.

POLO—The final dividend to creditors of the Barber estate is expected within three or four weeks. The last property to be sold was the Barber home here which brought \$11,000. The creditors of the bank will not receive 100 cents on the dollar, but will get a larger proportion than creditors of any other private bank, it is claimed.

FREEPORT—The Freeport Water company has petitioned the state public utilities commission for an increase of 13 per cent in water rates. Only last August an increase of 15 per cent was granted.

Costa Rica Rich in Fruit.

Costa Rica has all the raw material that is necessary, except that for containers, to develop a profitable business in canned fruits and vegetables. The list of native and cultivated fruits is long and contains many which would be in demand if the way is found to preserve the flavor.

ENGLAND ALLOWS ARMY OBJECTORS TO HAVE LIBERTY

Still 500 Quakers in Prisons Working Out Terms.

LONDON, April 26. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Conscientious objectors in increasing numbers are being released from English prisons but there are still about 500 Quakers and other objectors to military service who are working out hard-labor sentences.

More than 450 have been set free since April 8 when a War office measure governing the release of objectors because effective. The order applies only to those who have served sentences aggregating in length two or more years. Among those given their liberty this month were Fenner Brockway, formerly editor of the Labor Leader; Walter Ayles of Bristol, a member of the executive committee of the Independent Labor party, and other leaders of the "Non-conscription" movement.

Altogether 6,135 men have resisted the British military service acts and 5,596 of them have been court-martialed. Since the armistice 240 men have been tried by military courts. Sixty-three objectors have died since being arrested, nine while in prison.

From the beginning of conscription there has been considerable agitation in the press and elsewhere against the measure taken to punish conscientious objectors. With the signing of the armistice the friends and supporters of the "C. O.'s," as the conscientious objectors are referred to in English newspapers, became unusually active, and their efforts to persuade the government to release the prisoners have been unflagging.

They contend that hostility to conscription is rapidly gaining ground and that the imprisoned "martyrs of opinion" evoke more sympathy than anger.

One of the most prominent of the Quakers serving a prison sentence is E. D. Ludlam, who is well known for his researches in chemistry.

The argument advanced for still keeping the C. O.'s confined is that if they were released now they would be given an unfair advantage in the matter of obtaining employment over the men who are unable yet to secure demobilization from the army.

WONDERFUL MUSIC

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Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire
LONDON—The bolsheviks have begun the evacuation of Moscow.

LONDON—Forces operating against Petrograd have taken several thousand bolshevik prisoners.

NEW YORK—Federal Judge Mayer granted an injunction restraining government interference with the manufacture of beer containing 2 3/4% alcohol.

WASHINGTON—Orders for 200,000 tons of open hearth rails were placed steel companies at \$47 a ton.

DOUGLAS, Ariz.—Yaqui Indians killed H. S. White, an American, and several Mexicans in charge of an ore truck train near Hermosillo, Mexico.

LONDON—Captain Edmond G. Chamberlain of San Antonio, Texas, was acquitted by the court martial on the first charge of perjury and forgery. The vote on the charge of falsehood has not been learned.

NEW YORK—Sergeant Earl Caddock, the world's champion heavyweight wrestler, arrived from France.

WASHINGTON—Party membership on an equality with men was voted at the concluding session of republican women with national chairman Hays.

WASHINGTON—Chemical engineers of the department of agriculture will investigate the cause of the explosion of the Douglas starch mill at Cedar Rapids, Ia.

BOSTON—Twenty-six democratic members of the legislature cabled President Wilson to return and "help reduce the cost of living" which they "consider far more important than the league of nations."

NEW YORK—Sergeant Alvin C. York, at a dinner in his honor, heard himself described by Major General Duncan as the "most distinguished soldier the world has produced."

Dunne and Party to Leave Paris Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, May 23.—(Delayed)—Former Governor Edward F. Dunne, of Illinois, and Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City, representatives of the Irish societies in the United States will leave Paris tomorrow as there is apparently no further chance of securing the assent of the British authorities for a hearing for Professor Edward De Valera and other representatives of the Irish republic.

Ever Notice It?

Said the near-cynic: "Did you ever notice that the fellow who is chivalrous enough to remove his hat in an elevator where there are ladies has no compunction about filling the air with a cloud of tobacco smoke?"

OHIO GOES DRY TONIGHT; GREAT FAREWELL GIVEN

New Prohibition Law
Becomes Effective
Next Monday.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Columbus, O., May 24.—The first of a double celebration marking the passing of liquor traffic in Ohio started here today and at midnight the state will virtually become prohibition territory under an amendment to the constitution adopted by the voters last autumn.

While midnight next Monday is specified in the new law as the time for the closing, the license year ends today and comparatively few saloonkeepers paid the \$300 necessary to re-open for the final celebration on Monday.

Big farewell parties to John Barleycorn were to be held tonight in nearly every wet municipality in Ohio, the biggest state in the country to have voted prohibition. The authorities did not anticipate trouble in any community as a result of the expected hilarity.

For several weeks some communities have been preparing for the advent of prohibition and the number of licensed drinking places, which totaled 5,600 a few months ago, has been considerably reduced.

Saloonkeepers report that for several weeks stocks of wines and whiskeys have rapidly disappeared. Virtually all the finer wines and liquors have been disposed of. Despite the unusually high prices that have prevailed, the dealers say thousands of dollars worth of liquors has been stored in private warehouses and cellars for private consumption.

Scores of saloons that closed today will reopen shortly as lunchrooms and refreshment stands. Several breweries will reopen as ice manufacturing and cold storage plants.

Ohio will enter the list of dry states without the usual prohibition enforcement machinery. For the present the prohibition laws will be enforced by state officials.

Prohibition leaders attempted to pass emergency prohibition legislation through the Ohio legislature this winter, but failed. A law enforcement bill was passed, but minus an emergency clause, and the "vets" have announced they will call a referendum upon it before it can become effective.

The state will lose revenue amounting to approximately \$4,600,000 annually as the result of prohibition. Bills providing for new revenue-raising acts are pending before the Ohio general assembly.

Texas Votes Today on Suffrage-Prohibition

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Dallas, May 24.—Woman suffrage and prohibition are the principal issues in a general election being held throughout Texas today.

Amendments to the constitution giving right of suffrage to women and prohibiting manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors are being voted upon.

ON THE DIAMOND

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	13	6	.750
Cleveland	14	8	.636
New York	10	7	.588
St. Louis	10	11	.474
Boston	9	10	.474
Washington	8	11	.421
Detroit	8	14	.364
Philadelphia	4	14	.222

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Chicago, 5; New York, 0.
All other games postponed, rain.

GAMES TODAY.

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Washington at St. Louis.
Boston at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
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Cincinnati	15	8	.652
Brooklyn	13	7	.652
Pittsburgh	11	11	.500
Philadelphia	9	9	.500
Chicago	11	12	.474
St. Louis	7	17	.294
Boston	4	14	.222

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia, 7; Chicago, 2.
New York, 7; St. Louis, 6.
Brooklyn, 6; Pittsburgh, 4.
Cincinnati, 10; Boston, 4.

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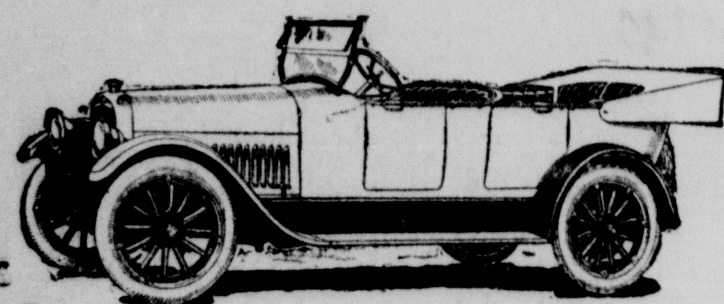
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WANTED—Advertisers in this column to know that the money must accompany the ad. We do not make a charge account of classified ads. 11

WANTED—Washings, ironings and curtain stretching to do at home. Phone Y1116 or call at 318 E. McKinney St. 11716

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FOR SALE—Five room cottage on North Ottawa Ave. Gas, electricity, city water. Lot 70x150. One block from city line, near school. This property is owned by Mrs. F. D. Peacock of California and has been left in my care for sale. W. S. Leslie. 102430

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FOR SALE—White paper for pantry shelves. Do not use old newspapers when you can buy fresh white paper for 1 cent a sheet at the Evening Telegraph job department. 11

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LEGAL PUBLICATION.

FORECLOSURE SALE BY MASTER IN CHANCERY

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss: J. E. Turpin, Trustee

Phillip Groth, Margaret Groth, O. M. Crawford and William E. Groth, Bill to foreclose Mortgage. In Chancery No. 3552

Public notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the circuit court in and for the county of Lee, and state of Illinois, made and entered on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1919, in a certain cause therein pending where in J. E. Turpin, Trustee is complainant and Phillip Groth and others are defendants.—Foreclosure, No. 3552, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said court, will, on Tuesday, the 17th day of June, A. D. 1919, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the court house in the city of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, the following described pieces or parcels of land, with the appurtenances thereon, to-wit: The South East quarter of the South West quarter of section Number Two (2), and the South West quarter of the South West quarter of section Number Eleven (11), both in township Nineteen (19), North, range Ten (10) East of the 4th P. M., in the county of Lee and state of Illinois, containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, situated in the county of Lee and state of Illinois. So much thereof, as may be sufficient to realize the amount found due complainant, principal, interest, costs of suit and expenses of sale, and which may be sold separately without material injury to the parties interested.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 17th day of May, A. D. 1919.

MARK C. KELLER, Master in Chancery.

C. A. Darnell, Solicitor for Complainant.

May 17-24-31

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss: Estate of Sylvester Morarity, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Sylvester Morarity deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon on the 2nd day of June 1919, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Ill., May 17, A. D. 1919.

MARY PALMER, Executrix.

John J. Armstrong, Attorney. May 17-24

Needles Long in Use. Steel needles were found among the Kaffirs in Africa, and elsewhere, so that they may have had early aboriginal invention in more than one country. The earliest European eyed needles were of bone and ivory, sometimes of bronze. In 1370 steel needles were certainly being made in Nuremberg, possibly in England also, though until 1563 the raw material came from Spain.

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The organ is being built under the direct supervision of W. J. Kraft, director of music at Columbia University, by Moller of Hagerstown, Md. It will cost about \$50,000.

"The instrument compares favorably with the largest organs now in use," said Professor Kraft. "It is much larger than the municipal organ at Portland, Me. The organ has 38 stops, having as subdivision great, swell, choir, solo and echo. It will have the divisions of woodwind, brass, strings, harp and chimes. It is my purpose to invite some of the leading organists of the world to come to the celebration and give recitals."

Mr. Moller, builder of the organ, said: "I know of no organ in the country which has the power or so many modern appliances as that being built for the Centenary celebration. It will probably hold the record for being the largest organ used for any religious gathering."

There are three separate blowing plants, requiring 25 horse-power, with centrifugal electric blowers and generators. The console is movable, being connected with the organ by a flexible cable, located immediately in front of the stage at the west end of the auditorium. The organ covers a floor space of 900 square feet and weighs approximately eight tons. The blowers furnish 6,800 cubic feet of air per minute. Twenty-one miles of wire have been installed. The pipes range from three-quarters of an inch in length to 32 feet.

In planning the accompaniment for congregational singing in an auditorium seating 10,000 people, the committee in charge of the preparatory

work saw that an orchestra would be ineffective, and that nothing would be so peculiarly in keeping with the religious motive underlying the whole movement as the resonance power, beauty and spiritual uplift which would result from the use of an organ. This organ will furnish accompaniment of great mixed choruses ranging



WILLIAM A. KRAFT
Of Columbia University, Who Has Charge of All Music at the Centenary Celebration.

ing from 500 to 1,500 voices, which will have part in the Centenary Celebration. The work of installing its mechanism already is started and the terms of the contract call for completion by May 1.

Professor Kraft has invited some of the leading organists of the United States to display their skill on this organ during the progress of the Centenary.

COMPTON.

(By Robert Anglemier)

Contrary to statements printed in the Telegraph of May 29th, Compton is over the top in the Victory Loan drive, this despite the fact that this precinct had to take 60% of the quota, allotted to Brooklyn township. Subscriptions totaling \$31,200 have been received by the committee here and credited to this precinct. This is an over-subscription of \$1000 above our 60% quota. In an attempt to rectify the error it was stated in the issue of May 21 that the "committee of that precinct (Compton) had arranged to take care of the \$5000 deficit." This is of course an error as being over-subscribed there could be no deficit.

M. M. Fell, cashier of the First National Bank of Steward and Attorney Gardner of Rochelle were in town Tuesday of last week.

Charles Stout and John S. Archer, directors of the local school, were in Dixon last Thursday in consultation with County Supt. L. W. Miller. It had been planned to add a third year of high school to the present course but it was necessary to abandon this idea as it was not feasible.

Frank Bauer of Rockford was in town Tuesday transacting business.

Miss Zella Anglemier left Wednesday morning for Normal, Ill., where she will attend summer school.

George Willard of Earlville transacted business in town Saturday.

Sheriff Schoenholz, State Atty. Ed. Ward, County Clerk Dinick and Judge Farrand were down from Dixon a short while Saturday.

Dr. White of West Brooklyn was in town Thursday on business.

Last week meetings were held in the Methodist church at which the Centenary movement in all its various phases was discussed. The first meeting, held Tuesday evening, was well attended, an address being given by Rev. Wright of Sterling. Rev. Lundgren of Dixon was present Wednesday evening with a highly interesting message. Rev. Wright spoke again Thursday night and Rev. Kleiber of Naperville spoke Friday evening. As a result of the effort and enthusiasm which these men put into their work a good share of the quota for this church was raised.

Dr. C. C. Pool attended a meeting of the Lee County Medical association held at Dixon on Tuesday last week.

Joseph Kaufman returned from Chicago Wednesday evening where he has been transacting business.

Mrs. Jesse Eddy and daughters spent last week in Rockford visiting friends.

Ed Bennett of Tampico and Emerson Bennett of Dixon visited with their parents here Sunday.

Fred Otterbach intends to return to Fort Sheridan Tuesday morning his 30 days furlough expiring then.

Word has been received that Louis Knauer and Emil Bernardin have arrived from overseas with the 33rd division.

Mrs. Edith Fuestman and daughter, Frances, returned to their home at Rochelle after a short visit here, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Johnson.

Mrs. Arthur Anglemier returned from Chicago Tuesday evening.

The following program is to be given

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NELSON

A ten-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson early Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller and children drove to Fulton, Ill., Sunday where they spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. Arthur Davis and daughter, Esther, of Grand Detour, visited last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Tina Voth.

K. F. Seibolt enjoyed a week's vacation from his duties at the depot, visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Genz entertained relatives Sunday in honor of their wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Smith the lady's parents and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Geiger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Janssen and daughters, and Mrs. Ruth Smith were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heckman entertained seventeen relatives at Sunday dinner in honor of Sgt. Walter Heckman, who has lately returned from overseas.

Last Friday the Nelson school observed Mothers' Day. Miss Harriet Drew, the teacher, had drilled her pupils and they presented an excellent program of recitations and songs. Little Miss Grace Bowlsby, of Sterling, also gave two violin numbers. The children had decorated the schoolhouse with violets and lilacs, some two dozen of these in cornucopias being suspended upon the walls. At the close of the program Miss Drew treated the pupils and visitors to ice cream and wafers. The directors of the school have re-engaged Miss Drew for the coming year. Mrs. John Drew, of Sterling, the teacher's mother, was present at the exercises. She taught in this township thirty some years ago. Mrs. Bowlsby and daughters and Miss Helen and George Drew were also visitors from Sterling.

Edna, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Janssen, has been home a week from the hospital and is doing well. She is still under the care of a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bohlen had as their guests Sunday, Miss Theresa Boyer, of Sterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohlen and daughters of South Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Launi and three children, of South Pekin, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. Cappotelli Sunday and Monday.

POLO

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rae and daughter, Celia, and Mrs. Emma Rae spent Sunday with friends in Rock Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lego, of Chadwick, attended the funeral of Mrs. Lego's grandmother, Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Beidler Monday.

Miss Bernice Mayborn spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Briscoe in Dixon.

Mrs. Olive Lavener and Mrs. Tyler went to Freeport Wednesday for the day.

Leslie Higley went to Peoria on business Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schryver and son, William, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Schryver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wely at near Harmon.

Misses Gertrude Cavanaugh and Katherine Tine, gave a basket social at their school at Woodstock Tuesday evening. They realized over \$66.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Albright entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grabling and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Schryver and son, Mrs. F. Martin and daughter, Mary and Mrs. George Martin and family of Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Good and daughter, Messrs. Garfield Hurdle and William Lyon went to Freeport Monday.

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Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we have backbone and will mastery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

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to attend the Federal Grand Jury. They returned home Tuesday.

The Rebekah Past Noble Grand's club were entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Wendle. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kuhns attended the funeral of the latter's mother, Mrs. A. E. Beidler.

Mrs. Hallie Brown left Friday morning on a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cortelyou at Ohlone, Ill. She will stop a few days at Champaign to see her sister, Mrs. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. David Brown and children were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Oshaughnessy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frye of Shannon, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Frye.

Doris Welly little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Welly, is ill and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Raymond Briscoe and children, of Dixon, spent several last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mayborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Frye and Mrs. William Schryver were Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beighton at Brookville.

Mrs. Roy Flowers and mother, Mrs. Annie Burrell, of Savanna spent Thursday with Mrs. Sarah Reinhart. While here Mrs. Flowers attended the Rebekah lodge. They will return home Friday.

Misses Ethel and Grace Gilbert went to Freeport Tuesday for the day.

Marco, Polo Rebekah lodge, initiated two new members in their lodge Thursday night.

Mrs. William Lyon went to Dixon Tuesday and returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Sanford entertained a few of their lady and gentlemen friends Tuesday evening with cards.

Charles Klock, of Freeport, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Maria Klock for a few days.

NACHUSA

The Sunday school will meet Tuesday evening to practice the Children's Day music.

The regular mid-week service will be held Wednesday evening.

The committee appointed to arrange for the memorial service met Saturday evening.

Miss Anna Emmert was in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Grace Spangler and Master Morris Spangler were ill with the measles.

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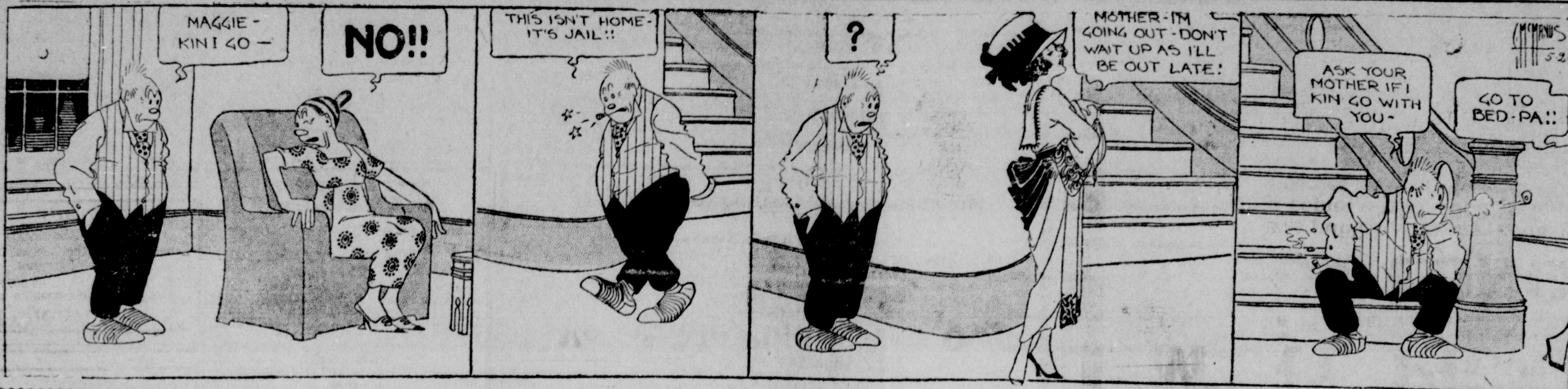
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BIG SEAT SALE FOR MONDAY NIGHT'S PLAY

The seat sale for "The Girl with the Green Eyes," which will be given by the Knights of Columbus and St. Mary's Guild at the opera house Monday evening is a criterion of a capacity audience. Seats are to be reserved at Todd's hat store, without extra charge, and as a result the prudent ones are making sure that they will find admission to the theater by having their seats reserved. It was announced this morning that during the wedding in the first act of the play, the synopsis and cast of which were published in The Telegraph on Thursday, Mrs. Eleanor Curtin will sing "Oh Promise Me."

Manufacturers Using Greater Amount Wool

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 24.—Manufacturers used during April 45,000,000 pounds of wool, an increase of 32 per cent of March. The increased consumption indicates "a rapid return to normal conditions," the bureau of markets declared in a statement today.

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No. 3 can Fancy Hominy.....10c
No. 3 can Sauerkraut.....13c
Salt Fanny Mackerel, lb.....30c
No. 16 oz. can fresh Codfish.....25c
Oil and Mustard Sardines.....10c
No. 2 can Monarch Baked Beans.....15c
Large bottle Catsup.....20c
Bulk Macaroni, lb.....12c
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Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire)

DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Corn—July.....	1.63½	1.64½	1.62½	1.62½	1.65
Sept.....	1.57½	1.57½	1.55½	1.56	1.57½
Oats—July.....	.67½	.67½	.66½	.66½	.68
Sept.....	.64	.64½	.63½	.63½	.64½
Pork—May.....	49.00	49.00	48.10	48.25	49.10
July.....	39.85	39.85	39.55	39.65	39.80
Lard—July.....	30.30	30.30	30.00	30.07	30.30
Sept.....	27.00	27.00	26.77	26.82	27.15
Ribs—July.....	26.00	26.00	25.77	25.82	26.00
Sept.....	None	None	None	None	None

BETTER WEATHER CAUSES SHARPLY LOWER CORN BIDS

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—Sharply lower prices in the corn market resulted today from favorable weather conditions and from advices that the government was reselling cereal goods which had been bought for export, but which would not now be shipped. Besides, gossip continued that Argentine supplies would be brought to Chicago and other western cities. Opening prices which ranged from 1½ to 1¾¢ lower with July 1.63½ to 1.64½ and Sept. 1.57½ to 1.57½, were followed by an additional decline and then something of a rally.

Oats weakened with corn. After opening 1½ to 1¾¢ lower including July at 67½ to 67½¢, the market continued to sag. Provisions were depressed by notice that the food administration was leading the last relief ship and that still the United States has the largest stocks of packing house products ever known. Prospects of a material increase of receipts here next week prevented any important rally. The market closed heavy ½ to 2½¢ net lower with July 1.62½ to 1.63 and Sept. 1.56 to 1.56½.

Weekly Grain Review.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—Notwithstanding government measures to curb large speculative operations in the corn market, prices have climbed higher this week owing largely to unwelcome rains. Compared with a week ago, values this morning showed 2½ to 4½¢ advance. Oats were up ½ to 1½¢. In provisions, the changes varied from 1½¢ decline to a rise of 15¢.

Announcement that war time restraints on trading were again in order and that no individual market interest could exceed 200,000 bushels had a decided bearish effect at first on corn. Adverse weather conditions however soon proved more than a counterbalance. Day after day, excessive moisture retarded the crop movement as well as the progress of planting and indicated also that much replanting would be unavoidable. Temporarily, the presidential recommendation that wartime prohibition be nullified had a bullish influence but later was discounted by reports that congress would not accede. Highest prices yet this season were touched meanwhile for corn available before the end of May. On the other hand, deferred months plainly felt the check of imports from Argentina.

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Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Hogs: receipts, 8000; bulk of sales 5c to 10c higher, closing with advance mostly lost; top 20.75. Bulk 20.40 @ 20.65; heavy weight 20.50 @ 20.75; medium weight 20.35 @ 20.75; light weight 20.00 @ 20.55; light light 19.25 @ 20.40; heavy packing sows smooth 19.85 @ 20.25; packing sows rough 19.25 @ 19.75; pigs 18.50 @ 19.25.

Cattle: receipts 1000, compared with a week ago, good and choice heavy steers 75c to \$1 lower; common and medium grades and yearlings mostly 40 to 75¢ lower; best cows and heifers 50 to 75¢ lower; canners and medium grades under \$11 steady to 25¢ lower; bologna, bulls strong to 25¢ higher; butchers steady. Veal calves 17.50 to 22¢ higher; fleshy feeders 50c to 75¢ lower; stockers and light feeders steady.

Sheep receipts 1,000; market strong; compared with a week ago, spring lambs and best shorn strong to 25¢ higher; other lambs steady to 25¢ lower; sheep and yearlings mostly 25c to 30c lower.

Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—Butter lower; creamery 51¢ @ 56½¢. Eggs lower; receipts 38,346 cases; firsts 42¢ @ 42½¢; ordinary firsts 41¢ @ 42¢; at mark cases included 41¢ @ 42¢; storage packed firsts 43¢ @ 45½¢; extras 44¢ @ 44½¢. Poultry alive lower; fowls 34¢.

Potatoes unsettled. Arrivals 50 cars. Old sacked and bulk car lots 2.15 @ 2.30 cwt. New Florida Spaulding Rose No. 1, \$9.25 @ 10.00 bbl.; No. 2, 7.25 @ 7.75.

Toledo Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Toledo, O., May 24.—Clover seed prime cash 27.75; Oct. 21.50; Dec. 21.40.

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Alsike not quoted. Timothy prime cash old 5.30; new 5.30; May 5.30; Sept. 6.15; Oct. 5.95.

Peoria Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peoria, Ill., May 24.—Corn unchanged at 1c lower; No. 3 white 1.81; No. 2 yellow 1.82; No. 3 yellow 1.81; No. 2 mixed 1.82; sample 1.68.

Minneapolis Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Minneapolis, May 24.—Wheat receipts 100 cars. Cash No. 1 northern 2.50 @ 2.55; Corn No. 2 yellow 1.68 @ 1.69. Oats No. 3 white 64¢ @ 65¢. Flax 4.31 @ 4.33. Flour unchanged.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Kansas City, May 24.—Cash wheat dull. No. 1 hard 2.50; No. 2, 2.52; No. 1 red 2.45 @ 2.50; No. 2, 2.42 @ 2.48. Corn 2c lower. No. 2 mixed 1.76; No. 2 white 1.78 @ 1.80; No. 2 yellow 1.75 @ 1.77. Oats lower; No. 2 white 70¢ @ 71¢; No. 2 mixed 68½¢.

Chicago Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 24.—Corn No. 3 yellow 1.79 @ 1.80; No. 4 yellow nominal; No. 5 yellow nominal. Oats No. 3 white 67¢ @ 69½¢; standard 69½¢ @ 70. Rye No. 2 nominal; No. 3 1.46½. Barley 1.14 @ 1.23. Barley 1.14 @ 1.23. Timothy 9.00 @ 12.00. Clover nominal. Pork nominal. Lard 32.75. Ribs 27.75 @ 28.75.

New York Liberty Bonds.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, May 24.—Liberty bond prices today were: 3½s 99.48; first 4s 95.70; second 4s 95.00; third 4½s 95.70; fourth 4½s 95.12.

East St. Louis Horses.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

East St. Louis, Ill., Horses: eastern chunks \$14.00 @ 20.00; southern horses choice \$14.00 @ 17.50; draft, good to choice \$15.00 @ 27.00. Mules 16 to 17 hands \$15.00 @ 25.00; 15 to 15½ hands \$11.00 @ 25.00; 14 to 14½ hands \$9.00 to 15.00.

Wall Street Close.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

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Norfolk & Western 111
Northern Pacific 98½
Ohio Cities Gas 55½
Pennsylvania 47½
Reading 88½
Rep. Iron & Steel 83
Sinclair Oil & Refining 65½
Southern Pacific 109½
Southern Railway 31½
Studebaker Corporation 89½
Texas Co. 27½
Tobacco Products 93½
Union Pacific 135½
United States Rubber 102½
United States Steel 107½
Utah Copper 80
Westinghouse Electric 58½
Willis-Overland 36½

Local Markets.

GRAIN

Corn.....\$1.67 to \$1.70
Oats.....63c to 65c

PRODUCE

Dairy Butter.....47c
Lard.....29
Eggs.....41
Potatoes.....\$1.00

LIVE POULTRY

Springers.....23
Light hens.....23
Heavy hens.....24
Old Roosters.....15
Ducks, White Pekin.....17
Indian Runner Ducks.....10
Muscovy Ducks.....10
Geese.....15
Turkeys.....20
Old Tom Turkeys.....20

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CITY BRIEFS

From State Meeting—Rev. J. Dornhoefer has returned from Ottawa where he attend the state Congregational association meeting.

Brothers In U. S.—Charles W. Plock, of the 308th Machine Gun battalion, arrived home Thursday evening after seeing service in France for three weeks before the armistice was signed. His brother, Flavie W. Plock, telegraphed his people Thursday that he had arrived at Camp Mills with the 33rd division.

Frank McCoy Returns—Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McCoy have received word that their son, Frank J. McCoy, has returned from abroad after a year and is now at Camp Mills, N. Y.

News of Mother's Death—Charles Boyd and Mrs. W. W. Brown have received telegrams announcing the death of their mother, Mrs. C. F. Boyd at her home in Myersdale, Pa., and Mr. Boyd and wife have left for that city to attend the funeral.

From Medical Convention—Dr. Edgar returned Wednesday night from attending a medical convention in Peoria. He took part in the discussions following the principal addresses. Dr. Murphy, who also attended, returned Thursday.

Tractor Will Plow—This evening about 7 o'clock George Nettz will have a tractor and plow at work on the R. A. Rodess lot at the south Assembly gate. A number of persons have expressed their desire to witness the demonstration.

Son is Lost—Elmer Rice, boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has received a request from Mrs. W. C. Calkins of Davenport, Ia., for assistance in locating her 13-year-old son, William Calkins, who has not been seen since May 14, when he was in Davenport.

Francis Keen Back—Mrs. Lizzie Keen who resides east of Dixon, received a message from her son, Francis, who has

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arrived at Camp Morrison, Va., from overseas, in which he states he will arrive at Camp Grant Sunday to await his discharge. He has spent 16 months with the Fourth Engineers in France.

For Overseas Duty—Major Wheeler, of Camp Grant, has gone east, expecting to leave at once for overseas duty. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, of this city.

Returned From Convention—C. E. Hill has returned from Champaign where he attended the state convention of United Commercial Travelers. The meeting was largely attended and interesting. An evening function was given for them at the home of Congressman Wm. B. McKinley during the convention.

Mechanic Injured—Lee Erickson, mechanic at the Nettz garage, suffered a very painful injury while repairing a car this week. In working on the engine a screw driver slipped penetrating into the fleshy part of his right hand a depth of over an inch. He had the injury dressed by a physician and will be unable to work for a few days.

Is Ill—Mrs. Frank Stutterlin, of East Second street is numbered among the sick of the city.

Cemetery Lots—A citizen who spent several hours in Oakwood cemetery yesterday caring for his family lots suggests that in order that the sacred place may look its best on Memorial Day (next Friday) all citizens who have relatives buried there take lawn mow-

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